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PITTSBURG March 19.

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CORN—No 2 yellow ear, 50@51c; mixed ear 46@47c; No 2 yellow shelled, 48@49c.

OATS—No 1 white, 36½@37c; No 2 do 35½@36c; extra No 2 white, 35@35½c; mixed, 34@34½c.

HAY—Choice timothy, $12.00@12.50; No 1 timothy, $11.50@11.75; No 2 timothy, $10.50@11.00; mixed clover and timothy $11.00@11.25; packing, $7.00@7.50; No 1 feeding prairie, $9.00@9.25; wagon hay, $14.00@15.00.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 22@23c; Ohio fancy creamery, 19@20c; fancy country roll, 16@17c; low grades and cooking, 9@10c.

CHEESE—Ohio, mild, 10½@10¾c; New York full make, 11½@12c; limburger full cream, 12@12½c; Wisconsin Swiss, 12@12½c; Ohio Swiss, 10½@11½c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio cases, 13@14c; Southern and Western fresh, 12@13c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens 6½@7c per pair; live chickens, small, 60@65c; ducks, 65@80c per pair, as to size; dressed chickens, 7@8c per lb; turkeys, 10@12c per lb; ducks, 15@16c; live turkeys, 11@13c per lb; live geese, 90c@$1.00 per pair.

EAST LIBERTY PA March 19.

CATTLE—Receipts light today while the market is strong on good and medium grades and steady for other grades at the following prices: Prime, $5.25@5.50; good, $4.60@4.90; good butchers, $4.00@4.30; rough fat, $3.25@4.00; fair light steers $3.50@3.90; fat cows and heifers, $3.00@4.00; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.25; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@35.00.

HOGS—Receipts very light, and with a fair demand the market is opening steady at the following prices. Philadelphias, $4.80@4.85; best mixed, $4.70@4.75; best Yorkers, $4.55@4.65; common to fair Yorkers and pigs, $4.40@4.50; roughs, $3.00@4.00.

SHEEP—Receipts light, demand fair and the market being steady at the following prices. Extra wethers, $4.80@5.00; extra, $4.60@4.80; good, $4.30@4.40; fair, $2.80@3.55; common, $1.90@2.80; best lambs, $5.00@6.00; good lambs, $5.00@5.30; common to fair lambs, $2.50@4.50; veal calves, $4.50@5.25; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.00.

CINCINNATI, March 19.

HOGS—Market weak and 5c lower at $4.20@4.25; receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 2,600 head.

CATTLE—Market stronger at $2.75@5.35; receipts, 200 head; shipments, 100 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep, market in fair demand and strong at $2.50@4.50; receipts, 800 head; shipments, 200 head. Lambs, market in fair demand and strong at $3.25@5.50.

NEW YORK, March 19.

WHEAT—Spot market weak. No 2 red store and elevator, 80½c; afloat, 82½c; f. o. b. 83c afloat; No 1 northern, 70c delivered; No 1 hard, 71c delivered.

CORN—Spot market strong. No 2 82½c elevator; steamer mixed, 51½c elevator.

OATS—Spot market dull. No 2, 35½c; No 2 delivered, 36½c; No 3, 33c; No 2 white, 37c; No 3 white, 36½c; track white, 36½@41c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 11½@12c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9½@10c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market weak, choice 89-pound lambs, $6.15.

HOGS—Market firm at $4.70@5.10.

A Woman Suicides.

BOSTON, March 20.—Miss N. O. Norton aged 35 of Holyoke, Mass. has shot herself at the Adams House. She was found in her room, dressed in her night dress. She had been at the hotel since Saturday. But little is known of her here.

To Make Lincoln's Birthday a Holiday.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 20.—In the state senate Senator Hamlin of Ellsworth presented a resolution to make Abraham Lincoln's birthday a national holiday. The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Want to Be Army Chaplains.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Rev J. P. Tidwick, attached to St. Stephen's rectory, N. Y., and Rev. John B. Frazier of Knoxville, Tenn., have passed examinations for admission to the navy as chaplains.

WORK WITHOUT PAY.

Well-Known Authors Who Decline to Accept Money for Their Works.

This is true of Count Lyof Nikolaievitch Tolstoi, the famous Russian author, who, while in the army as a member of the staff of Prince Gortschakoff, was present at the storming of Sebastopol in 1855. Leaving the army, and already a famous poet and novelist, he devoted himself to literature, and spent a short time in the most brilliant literary and social circles of St. Petersburg. Since his marriage he has lived more or less in retirement, and during the Russian famines of 1891 and 1892 made great efforts on behalf of the peasants on and in the vicinity of his estates. In the latter year Count Tolstoi resigned all social standing and privileges of his rank, and he now devotes most of his time and money to good works, while living as poorly as any of the peasantry. He insists that the literal interpretation of the Sermon on the Mount is the only rule of Christian life, and he has expressly declined to avail himself of any copyright in his works or in translations of them into other languages. Dr. John Charles Ryle, bishop of Liverpool, has written above two hundred tracts on religious subjects, many of which have been translated and reprinted in French, German, Dutch, Portuguese, Italian, Russian, Norwegian, Swedish, Danish, Hindostani and Chinese, and it is said that he will take nothing from the publishers for them and will make no profit from them.

The Soko Ape.

Letters from the African traveler, Oscar Neumann, at Bukoba, says the London News, contains many interesting things that Neumann learnt from the Manyemas. One is that the Soko ape is very common and much feared in Manyamaland, between Nyangwe and the northern shore of the Tanganyika. Some time ago an Arab wanted to take a Soko which he had captured to the coast. He succeeded in reaching Ugogo with his prize. There he died, and his sons, who attributed the death of their father to the enchantments of the wicked wood demon, hastened to retransport the supposed origin of their misfortune to its native place, and the interesting specimen was thus lost to science.

Man Is Adjusting Himself.

In an old volume of "The Transactions" is found the following by Dr. J. P. Wilson: "Where, let me ask, are the great and wasting epidemics that once devastated the whole inhabitated globe? 'They are gone,' says the sanitarian, 'because I have stamped them out.' No, indeed. They do not appear, simply or largely because they have become innocuous to the human race. Habit has rendered them more and more harmless. Man is rapidly adjusting himself to his environments."

A Glimpse of the Pope.

The pope is fond of sitting in his garden with his secretary on clear, warm days. He is a most attractive figure, seated thus, in his pure white robes of exquisite texture and immaculate cleanliness. He is a precise and fastidious man, and on those robes is never seen a trace of the snuff to which Pio Nono was so devoted. The face of Leo XIII. is a benevolent one, and his fine skin and white hair combine with his gentle expression to create the atmosphere of purity and sweetness about him.

ONE QUEEN IN INDIA.

The Maharanee of Kunigal and Her Mode of Living.

Surrounded by Luxury and Beauty the Royal Prisoner Dreams Away Her Days in Oriental Splendor.

The maharanee of Kunigal is a very beautiful woman. Her tall figure is draped with airy and artistic effect. The robe consists of much soft India silk, elaborately embroidered, arranged about her in mysterious grace, a very enigma of garment without the explanation of a single stitch. It is closely plaited at the waist in front, falling in a fan-like train over the feet, and fastened with a band of gold that is studded with crescents of pearls. This garment is short in the back and is brought over the shoulders, hanging in soft, loose folds. Her left arm displays a bracelet of costly gems of rare beauty and of profound historic interest which carries one back to the time of Cleopatra. It was found among some other buried treasures more than a century ago, when the remote ancestors of the late king acquired it. This bracelet is supposed to have the power to resist the venom of all species of reptiles. A tiny linked chain connects it to one of no less value at the wrist. Jeweled sandals grace her otherwise unclad nether limbs, surmounted by anklets of gold.

She will often express to her friends the great pleasure it would afford her to be able to go freely among her people. This is, however, forbidden her by the exacting and severe law of her caste, for, being a Brahmin, she is obliged to adhere strictly to the "law of inclosure." This compels her at the age of twelve to be veiled and live in seclusion for the remainder of her life. This rigid deprivation of all enjoyment of the world is necessarily a severe shock to the sensibilibility of even an eastern queen. Never again does she receive or converse with one of the opposite sex, save only her husband, the maharajah. Neither is a domestic of her household permitted to look upon her, otherwise her caste would be broken and her birthright canceled. This law among high caste seems cruel and inconsistent, but the penalty of disobedience is supreme. The violator of a law so sacred among the sex as that of "inclosure" has a horrible destiny awaiting her. She is expelled from among her tribe in shame to become an outcast, exiled from within the walls of the city for her crime.

But the present maharanee, says a foreign exchange, now in her twenty-fourth year, has six little brown faces to cheer her solitude. Her apartments, large and luxurious, occupy one side of the palace, opening one into another. Through long tapestried windows she steps into her private gardens, where the air is perfumed with the delicious fragrance of flowers. The little rustic bridges that greet the eye occasionally through these grounds connect the many beautiful terraces beneath which flows a refreshing and babbling brook, which, however, must babble no secrets. Rivulets and brooks are treasures in India. They are few and far between in this region of magnificence. Here the royal prisoner, for so she is, takes her daily exercise, joined occasionally by her children, who come with the delightful anticipation of hearing some new fairy tales from the lips of the beautiful memsahib—who happens to be a rare story teller—as she is seated in one of her favorite arbors where the citron vines envelop the happy little group, a picture only eastern.

When the maharanee wishes to leave her apartments the command is given, and in a moment the turbaned attendants that crowd the halls disappear as if by magic. The silence that follows endues the surroundings with the air of a sanctuary rather than that of a palace. Presently there breaks upon the stillness the faint tinkling of a bell that announces the royal presence, and the maharanee comes forward, stately, gracious, kindly, "every inch a queen."

When she drives into the country in her state carriage—a relaxation which she thoroughly enjoys, being a true lover of nature—she must go closely veiled. Rarely a week passes without a trip through the picturesque miedown lying between Kunigal and Bangalore. Here the range of mountains to the west with their majestic skylines show to the greatest advantage the play of light and shade at sunset.

In traveling, the maharanee occupies private compartments, which are highly decorated and delicately furnished in oriental style, arranged so that she may with ease enjoy the view of the hills and plains and yet not be seen, accompanied by her ladies in waiting, who share the same privilege. When the destination is reached an awning immediately erected which forms a complete passage to the state carriage that awaits her, so that there is no possible chance of satisfying the curious gaze of all castes who patiently look for her arrival. She is always glad to see "European ladies," as she is pleased to call all foreigners, no matter of what nationality. She converses freely in several of the native languages, especially Hindostani and Canarease, and speaks English fluently. She loves to hear of other countries, and the habits and customs of other people. She is particularly interested in all that pertains to America.

Founder of the Japanese Navy.

The founder of the Japanese navy was an Englishman named Will Adams, who went to the eastern seas as a pilot of a Dutch fleet in 1598, and was cast away in Japan a couple of years later. He became a Japanese noble and constructor of the navy to the tycoon, but was never allowed to return to England. He died about twenty years afterward, very ingeniously leaving half of his property to his wife and family in England and the other half to his wife and family in Japan. After his death he was deified. A few years ago his tomb and that of his Japanese wife were discovered.

The Battle of Brandywine.

The battle of Brandywine was one of the worst of Washington's numerous defeats. The name originated, it is said, from a Dutch brandy distillery on the banks of the stream Brentwine, variously spelled, being a Dutch name for brandy, or "burned wine."

STRIPPED BY LIGHTNING.

The Startling Experience of a Montana Man, Who Still Survives the Shock.

Charles B. Hoffman, of Butte, Mont., was standing at the mouth of a mine not long ago when he was struck by lightning. The thunderbolt, he thinks, first struck the straw hat he was wearing, and it tore a hole in the hat that cut part of the rim. Then it tore his clothing into shreds and left him naked. Both his overalls and the shirt he was wearing presented the appearance of having passed through a sausage mill. Nobody can tell him why he was not killed by the lightning. The bolt, he says, after passing through his hat, struck him on the shoulder and ran the full length of his body, burning the skin to a crisp on the side and legs. It also cut his left foot on the side and bottom, breaking the bones of the foot.

"My clothes were torn to pieces and thrown from my body," said Mr. Hoffman to a writer for the New York World, "and my shoes were torn from my feet."

He became unconscious as soon as he was struck by the lightning and did not revive for an hour and a half. When he regained his senses Hoffman was in great pain and he was confined to the hospital for nine weeks. When Hoffman's clothing was examined after the accident it was seen that in many places the lightning had cut the cloth as neatly as if it had been done with a razor. Some of the cuts were long and straight. The lightning took his clothes off quicker than he could have undressed himself, and it threw them in a pile on one side of the track, with his shoes carefully deposited beside the pile. The clothes seemed to have been neatly folded until they were examined and found to be a pile of rags. Hoffman's "pants" had been yanked off him without the formality of pulling them over his feet. This seemingly impossible task was accomplished by the lightning first cutting each leg open, and then it appeared to have taken them by the seat and dropped them on the coat, and to finish the job by depositing Mr. Hoffman's straw hat on top of all. After it got through with Hoffman this remarkable streak of lightning ran along a metal track into the Glengary mine, at the mouth of which he had been working, ran to the end of the shaft, which is four hundred feet below the surface of the ground, and then it ran along a "cross cut" two hundred feet where it branched off and for sixty feet followed a "winze." There were several men at work at this point, and all were more or less stunned. The bolt of lightning went into the earth when it reached the end of the "winze." Hoffman is now known in Butte as "the human lightning rod."

SHAVING IN JAMAICA.

It Is Usually a Very Primitive Proceeding.

The natives of Jamaica have no need to buy soap, for the woods abound in plants whose leaves and bulbs supply very well the place of that indispensable article. Among the best of these is the soap tree, so called, though it is more a bush than a tree. Its botanical name is Phalangium Pomeridianum. Its bulb, when rubbed on wet clothes, makes a beautiful lather, which smells much like the common brown soap.

The Jamaica negroes, some of whom are great dandies in their way, make a soap out of cocoanut oil and home-made lye; and a fine soap it is, smooth and fragrant. This cocoanut-oil soap is used for shaving.

When a man wishes to shave in the morning he starts out with his cocoanut-shell cup and his donkey-tail brush and a bottle. It is never any trouble to find an empty bottle in Jamaica, even in the mountains. At least twenty generations of thirsty people have lived there, and thrown away the empty bottles.

The man carries no mirror, because he has none to carry. Not one negro cabin in a dozen has even a cheap looking-glass. But nature provides the mirror as well as the soap. The man goes to a convenient pool in the mountain stream, where the water is still, and there is his mirror. He breaks his bottle on a stone and picks out a good sharp piece. Then he lathers his face profusely and begins to scrape away with his piece of glass, which works almost as well as a sharp razor.

The men rarely cut themselves in the operation. "At first," says a New York Sun writer, "I trembled for them, but afterward I tried the method myself, and soon became almost an expert at it."

IT WAS WATER.

But It Was the Breath of Experience Which Blew Over Its Surface.

"Been at home visiting the folks," said the young man to the tall man in the tweed suit. "Well, I didn't stay long, for the people of Maine object to drinking and my habits are not strictly temperate."

"Got a jag, I suppose," observed the tall man.

"Not at all, sir. I don't drink anything but water. It was my first-glass of water at home which got me in trouble. You know that my father is a strict tectotaler. Never drank even a mug of cider. Well, I used to be that way myself. I went home after an absence of three years. Arrived at the old house at dinner time. All the old china and silver had been brought out in my honor, and there was a Maine dinner about to be served that would have made many a housewife envious to see.

"'I trust, Richard,' said father, 'that in all the years that you have been from home you have not touched that which brings sorrow to so many homes, deprives the poor man's family of bread, and sows broadcast the seeds of misery and want.'

"'Not much,' I said. Then, sir, in less than two minutes afterward I raised a glass of water to my lips, blew across the top of it, said: 'Here's luck,' and tossed it off with that grace and abandon which you know so well. That's what spoiled my vacation."

Simple Religious Service.

Worship in Japan is a very simple affair. In many of the temples the chief feature is a looking-glass emblematic of purity of soul. Near it is a font of water in which the worshiper washes on entering. He then prays before the glass, drops a few coppers into a box and rings a bell three times as he goes out. Since the mikado declared himself no longer divine and infallible Japanese skepticism has grown rapidly.

OYSTERS UP TO DATE.

The Very Latest Fad Is for Bleached Bivalves.

White Ones Are Probably Doctored—Oystermen Who Ought to Know Say They Are Mythical—Nature's Own Shellfish Not to Be Improved Upon.

"Bleached oysters" is the latest and a rapidly growing fad. The fashionable uptown restaurants are catering to it. An oyster that does not peer forth snowy white from the depth of its shell is considered bad form. It does not appear that the Albino-hued bivalve is improved by the blanching process.

In fact, it is held by all fair-minded people who have tried them that the flavor which gives our oysters their superiority over all the bivalves of the world is destroyed entirely. But they are said by self-constituted authorities to look better, and it is the fashion to have them served that way.

The course of treatment to which the luscious shellfish is subjected to bring about the pale and ghostly hue is the secret of the restaurant men. The wholesale oyster dealers know nothing about it.

A reporter for the New York World went aboard a floating warehouse, on the North river, the other day, and made an inquiry as to the best method of blanching oysters. It was apparent that oystermen do not relish the newspaper notoriety which has been thrust upon the innocent and inoffensive shellfish.

"If I could meet the man who started all this talk about typhoid fever and malaria in oysters," said one old salt, "I'd chuck him in the bay and hit him on the head with a boathook when he came up the first time, and there wouldn't be no second time.

"As if it ain't bad enough that this has been one of the worst oyster years we ever had, but on top of that some crazy fool up in Connecticut tries to fatten his oysters in a creek into which a sewer empties. What's the result? A lot of college students and professors get sick and four of them die. What follows? The newspapers publish it all over the country, typhoid fever in oysters, and the business is almost paralyzed in some places. Forty million people eating oysters and four of them get sick and die! How many people die every day from eating pork and beef, yet does that scare anybody? No, sir.

"Now, on top of all this, some fool restaurant men go to making their oysters white, which God never intended they should be, or He would have made 'em so. I don't suppose that the oysters were hurt any by it, but some fellow gets sick, after knocking about the Tenderloin all night, and remembers that he ate a dozen bleached oysters, and then he hollers that he has been poisoned.

"Some one writes to a newspaper that sulphate of zinc will bleach an oyster. I don't know whether it will or not, but a chemist told me that it would not. But the oyster trade gets it in the neck all the same. Thank goodness that these stories did not get out two months ago, or the oystermen would all be in the hands of the associated charities. Our season is over for cheap oysters, in which the money is made. Nothing goes out of New York now but shell oysters. New York counts, and culls. The oyster business after the middle of November goes to Baltimore. There are no oyster canneries in New York.

"This fad for white oysters I never heard of before this year. There are no pure white oysters. The oyster takes his color from his surroundings and an old oysterman can tell at a glance which one of the beds hereabouts an oyster comes from. The Blue Point is often silvery in appearance. There is no way that I know of to make an oyster white.

"When the weather is not too cold oysters, after being taken up, are sunk on floats for from twelve to twenty-four hours in brackish water, generally near the mouth of a fresh-water creek. This water they will drink freely and fill up so that they look fat. This has the effect of washing out the sea water and mud that may have been taken in. I know every oyster bed in New York bay, Long Island sound, or the rivers of New Jersey, and I know of no oyster that is what you might call white. Personally, I would let such alone if offered me.

"Nature cannot be improved upon in the matter of the oyster, except to give it a chance to wash out and fatten up on some half-salt water. When the people understand that the bleached oysters are unnatural and artificial they will become suspicious of them and be satisfied with the plain, unbleached variety."

AN OMINOUS BRIDGE.

A Spot at Which Superstitious Wedding Parties All Turn Back.

A bridge which is carefully avoided by wedding couples because of the traditions which surround it spans a stream called the goldbrook, in the parish of Hoxne, near Eye, in the county of Suffolk, England. Standing in the center of an open field at Hoxne is an obelisk to the memory of Edmund, king of the East Angles, who was killed by the Danes in 870. On the site of the monument stood an oak tree, in the branches of which the king took refuge from his foes. At nightfall he emerged from his leafy hiding place and secreted himself under the above-mentioned bridge. A wedding party passing over the bridge at night observed the king's gold spurs glittering in the moonlight, and in this way he was betrayed to his enemies, who took him back to the oak tree and shot him with arrows. Local tradition has it that many years ago the existing inscription of the event was followed by the words: "Cursed be the wedding party that passes over this bridge." No such words are now visible, but the tradition is so well known that bridal parties prefer taking a circuitous route rather than pass over Goldbrook bridge.

The Crocodile's Guardian Birds.

Two or three species of birds are known to accompany the crocodile whenever he appears above water. Many a hunter has had his prospects for a shot spoiled by the alarm given to the reptile by his watchful attendants. When they see anyone approaching they will fly at the crocodile's nose, giving loud cries, and the beast never waits to investigate, but instantly shuffles into the water at his best speed.

SLEEP-WALKING.

The Remarkable Performance of a Victim of the Habit.

A commercial traveler relates an interesting adventure which he once had in a well-known Boston hotel. He had a friend who often made the circuit of the New England towns with him, each selling a different line of goods. They were good companions, and in order to reduce expenses occupied the same room when they were traveling.

One night the drummer was awakened from sleep by a rustling noise near the window. The moonlight streaming in revealed the figure of a fully dressed man crossing the room toward the door.

Suspecting that it was a sneak thief, the drummer reached out his hand to arouse his bedfellow. His companion was not in the bed. In an instant he recognized the figure of his friend at the door, and called him by name several times.

There was no reply except a strange, guttural clucking at the throat. The silent figure paced twice across the floor, and then opened the door and passed out into the hall.

The drummer sprang out of bed, quickly dressed himself, and hurried to the hotel office, where he told the night clerk what had happened. As they were talking together his friend came down the stairway, walked through the hall into the empty dining-room, and rapidly strode up and down. He was in his stocking feet, but otherwise was carefully dressed.

The two witnesses approached and spoke to him, but he took no notice of them, and apparently was anxious to avoid them. Finally he started upstairs, muttering to himself, and, going to his room, quietly undressed and went to bed, turning off the gas at the last moment. His friend had followed him into the room, and remained a silent witness of these strange proceedings.

The drummer could not sleep until the mystery was explained. Going to the bedside, he called his companion by name, but could not arouse him; then shook him violently by the shoulders, and finally awakened him from an astonishingly deep slumber.

"What a horrible dream I have had!" exclaimed his companion, rubbing his eyes. "I have been walking miles and miles with a pair of cutthroat murderers close upon my heels, and I could not find my shoes."

He had been walking in his sleep, without the slightest knowledge of what was going on about him, able to dress and undress himself, to find his way about the hotel, to unlock doors and turn off the gas, but without power to hear voices or to free himself from his hideous dream.

"It was a trick of my boyhood," he said, when his companion described what had happened. "I used to unscrew hinges, take locks from doors, and even play ball in my sleep. My mother broke up the habit by putting pails of water at my bed, into which I plunged when springing from the sheets. But it has returned after many years."

THE HUNTER'S COLD STORAGE.

He Always Supplied Deer and Fish on Short Notice.

A gentleman who was at work at the Howard slate quarry in Willimantic twenty-five years ago says deer was as plenty then in the woods north of Sebec lake as anyone could ask for. The slate company has a large number of men employed, and boarded them in camps, the same as lumber men board their crews in the woods.

To keep the camps supplied with fish and meat they kept a hunter employed every day. The supply never ran short, but some of his methods were peculiar. He evidently kept fish on call in the winter season. On several occasions company came in from Bangor unexpectedly late in the evening. But they only had to say trout to Stone, the hunter, and he would start out into the woods to return in fifteen minutes with a handsome string of fish, apparently just taken from the water, says the Lewiston Journal.

He would bring in deer in the winter much the same way. His manner of doing this the gentleman explains, for he went with him once and learned the secret. He took the deer sled out to bring in game, and the workman went along to help haul it. They did not go very far into the forest when they came to a lot of evergreen boughs heaped upon the snow. Here Stone stopped. Lifting the boughs he tipped the pile over, and the looker-on, who wondered what he was up to, was scared nearly out of his senses when a big buck bounded up out of the hole and fell flat on his side. His feet were tethered together so he could not stand. Stone had caught him, and tethered him and buried him alive under the brush and snow against future emergencies. This was his system of cold storage.

A JAPANESE BABY.

A Native Expression Which Has Lost Its Original Meaning.

A gentleman formerly in the service of the United States navy married a Japanese beauty a few years ago and settled down to domestic life in the land of the rising sun.

Only a few months ago an old chum of his, an officer on one of our ships of war now stationed in Japanese waters, went to call upon him at his house in Fagasaki. While waiting in the room which might correspond to the parlor in this country, he heard the prattle of a child in the adjoining apartment. Said the youngster:

"Who is the foreign devil that has come to see papa?"

"Hush!" said the nurse. "The gentleman might overhear you. He is a fellow-countryman of your father's."

"Well, papa is a foreign devil, too."

This incident would seem to show that certain colloquial phrases have survived the feeling of hated for foreigners which the Japanese abandoned so many years ago.

Wanted to Encourage Him.

When Judge Buxton, of North Carolina, as a young lawyer made his first appearance at the bar, the solicitor, as is customary in that state, asked him to take charge of a case for him. The young lawyer did his best, and the jury found the defendant, who was charged with some petty misdemeanor, guilty. Soon after one of the jurors, coming round the bar, tapped him on the shoulder. "Buxton," said he, "the jury did not think that man was guilty, but we did not like to discourage a young lawyer."

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.,

FRIDAY, - - - - MARCH 22, 1895.

THE supreme court of Pennsylvania last Monday in a curiam opinion decided that municipal corporations have no right to hamper contractors by fixing the rate of wages to be paid to employes or stipulating that employes shall be citizens of the United States.

A COMMITTEE sent from Maryland to examine the truck farms in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, says the half of one farm of eighty acres yields annually $16,000 worth of fruit and vegetables, another of six acres yields a profit of $9,000; another of thirty acres makes a return of $30,000; another of twenty acres returns $8,000 worth.

SIXTY citizens of Berks county presented a petition to the auditors of that county protesting against allowing the bill of the commissioners. The county officials had presented bills for from 265 to 304 days' service in the office. The citizens claim that the county business never before required more than 150 days, or not more than half the time taken up by the present board. There will probably be some surcharging in old Berks county.

A NOVEL method of rewarding the troops for their services in the war against China has been resolved upon by the Japanese government. Instead of being presented with a medal, each soldier who has served in the campaign is to be given a watch, and the Japanese war office has just entered into contracts with several Swiss firms for a large supply of these timepieces. The presentation of the watches will be made by the Mikado when he reviews his victorious troops at the close of the war.

NOT since the halcyon days of the old syndicate has the Connellsville cokers received such pleasant news as went to the almost ten thousand employes of the Frick and Southwest companies at noon on Friday, when notices were posted at all the works stating that an advance in wages averaging about fifteen per cent will go into effect on April first next.

The rate for mining per hundred bushels goes from 78 to 90 cents; drawing from 43 to 50 cents and so on down through different kinds of labor. The yard laborer is the only person who gets no advance, his pay remaining $1.20 per day.

IT is reported at Harrisburg that the Republican leaders have created a commotion with the announcement that the religious garb bill is to be killed. Having passed the house, it is now in the committee on education of the senate. It will be kept there, orders from the bosses being that it must be strangled, and not reported. The friends of the bill and the leaders of the patriotic societies who have been lobbying for it are howling mad. The senate committee has been set up against the bill, and every senator is cheering to himself that this means he escapes going on record for the bill.

SENATOR JAMES G. MITCHELL of Jefferson has introduced a new school book bill. It provides for a commission to be appointed by the governor, which is to cousist of one county school superintendent from each congressional district and the superintendent of public printing, who is to act as president of the commission. It will be the duty of these gentlemen to edit and complete a uniform series of text books in common schools. Of course the members of the commission would be well paid for their services and that would furnish some additional picking for members of the g. o. p.

COMMISSIONERS OF PENSIONS LOCHREN estimates that there will not be any decreased amount appropriated for pensions during the next three years after March, 1896. The amount appropriated for the fiscal year of 1896, in round numbers, is $140,000,000; for the present year, the amount was $150,000,000. The reason for the absence of any perceptible decrease is that the falling off owing to deaths and other causes is about counterbalanced by first payments in pensions allowed. As cases are allowed from time to time, there are large first payments, sometimes for arrears, and always dating from the time the application was filed.

PERSUASION does not soften the hearts of the Germans and Frenchmen who have put an embargo upon the importation of American cattle. They are waiting until we shall sugar coat our pleading by a repeal of obnoxious tariff differentials. There is no blood-letting in tariff wars, but they are sometimes as costly to the participants as would be a gunpowder contest. If the market for beef and pork is to be curtailed those who find themselves injured will have no difficulty in fixing the blame where it belongs. The sugar trust senators were originally responsible for the differential duty on beet-root sugar, and they were also responsible for the defeat of the house bill to repeal the differential duty.

AMERICAN goods are finding wider market as a result of the Wilson bill. Confirmation of this fact is found in the following significant dispatch from London on Monday: "A lockout of employes in the Leicester factories is imminent. The trouble is due to a reduction of wages made necessary by the influx of American goods, which are flooding England. The British manufacturers declare that their trade will be gone entirely unless the payment of lower wages enable them to meet the American competition." Leicester is one of the great woolen manufacturing centres of England. American hosiery, carpets and other fabrics are also finding good markets in other sections of Europe in competition with home products. The new tariff law is speedily vindicating itself.

IT is announced from a variety of sources, says the Pittsburg *Post*, that Senator Quay has abandoned his advocacy of Tom Reed for the presidential nomination, and proposes to champion the aspirations of the brave General Hastings, the hero of Johnstown. Senator Cameron keeps on sawing wood, doesn't say much, has a silver lightning rod up, and hopes that in the conflict of issues and men he may be the lucky one.

The declaration for Hastings by Quay and others means just this—no more and no less: There are two or three Republican candidates whose chances of the nomination seem to be about equal—Reed, Harrison and McKinley. The fight over them will be avoided in the state by having the national delegates instructed for Hastings. Then at the proper moment a trade will be arranged, the quid pro quo specified, and Pennsylvania will declare for the victor, and so get the honor, and resulting emolument, of deciding the contest and possibly making the president. Hastings in the meantime will be used as a man of straw. He stands about as much chance of the presidential nomination as Senator Quay, and not nearly as good a chance as Senator Cameron. But "rallying around" his name will avert any conflict in the state between the friends of other candidates, and make the delegation a marketable commodity. This is unquestionably the game, but it is a reflection on the smartness of Quay & Co., that it should be exposed so early.

Nor is it a new game in Pennsylvania politics. As far back as 1860 it was practiced, the elder Cameron being the trade-mark. Mr. Lincoln's friends purchased the delegation, the condition being that Mr. Cameron should receive a a cabinet place. He did, but "Honest Old Abe" could stand the Cameron way only a few months, and shunted Simon off to Russia. Then in 1876, with General Hartranft as a sign board, just as it is proposed Hastings shall be, the Pennsylvania delegation defeated James G Blaine for the presidential nomination, and gave the votes that made Hayes candidate and president. Mr. Hayes's representatives promised that Don Cameron should have a cabinet place, but Mr. Hayes the president was a different man from Hayes the candidate, and he refused to honor the drafts made by his co-partners, whereat there was much virtuous indignation, and at the next election Don Cameron quietly aided the Democrats in carrying the state against the federal administration to rebuke Hayes.

"Pennsylvany's sheer," as good old Simon Cameron put it, is the main consideration. And the "sheer," be it understood, is not a general distribution of the goods, but a sort of department shop; with Boss Quay as general manager. That is the program, and the secret of putting Hastings forward as a man of straw to trade on and fight over.

THE prospect of serious complications which threatens the United States through probable European encroachment on Venezuela and Nicaragua, has assumed a phase of such danger to the principle laid down in the Monroe doctrine, that a special conference was held at the White House on Wednesday afternoon to consider the subject. There is no doubt whatever that this subject is considered by the president and Secretary Gresham as of much greater import to this country than the Allianco incident or the recall of Minister Thurston and must be handled with unusual delicacy, and with the knowledge that a misstep way plunge the government into embarrassing complications with not one, but several of the European nations.

Great Britain's ultimatum to Nicaragua demanding an indemnity for the expulsion of Mr. Hatch, the British consular agent, from Bluefields and the report that a British warship is on her way to enforce the demand, is the latest known serious phase of the diffculties growing out of the Bluefields affair, and as action by this government may involve a new construction of the Monroe doctrine, it can be seen how slowly and carefully the president and his advisers are obliged to feel their way to prevent any possibility of blunder or to neglect any advantage that might weaken the practical sponsorship which the United States government holds over the South-American and Central American republics.

PEOPLE who do not realize the great falling off in revenue owing to the depression of business cannot understand why the private hospitals and charities are to be shut out in the matter of state aid this year, but when they are told of the larger corporations, and manufacturing concerns, which two or three years ago paid thousands into the treasury, are now returning hundreds, they might be able to understand the necessity for cutting the legislative appropriations. One corporation, which paid two years ago about $800,000 in tax, paid the same tax this year with less than $400,000. A smaller corporation, which paid $150 before, pays $15 now. These are illustrations of the steady decrease in the revenues, and there is no reason to believe that the estimate of $19,000,000 for the next two years is not sufficiently generous. Notwithstanding the statement of the state fiscal officers regarding the falling off of revenue those who are interested in appropriations to private institutions think that the balances in the general fund of the state treasury from month to month indicate the ability of the state to give those institutions their usual aid.

The Allegheny river ice gorge at Kittanning broke Friday night and the following morning left a clear channel extending from the rolling mill to the upper end of the town. The ice has been weakened by the recent thaws and the water is rapidly eating its way through the gorge and the whole accumulated mass is now expected to pass out without doing any damage.

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., March 15, 1895.—President Cleveland returned to Washington, and Secretary Gresham resumed his duties after ten days sickness, just in time to give Spain a lesson in international courtesy, by forcing her to her knees as an apologist for the action of the commander of a Spanish cruiser who didn't have any better sense than to fire on a United States mail steamer in the open sea, en route from Colon to New York, merely because he had a suspicion that there might be supplies for those engaged in the Cuban revolt on that steamer. Senor Murnaga, the Spanish minister, tried to get his country let down easy by hastening to the department of state ahead of the official notification that the flag of the United States had been fired upon, and saying that Spain would apologize if any offense or indiscretion had been committed by the commander of the Spanish cruiser. That minister is smart, he is. He hasn't forgot the last time Spain had to go down on her marrow bones and in addition to give up good Spanish gold for her failure to pay proper respect to that same United States flag.

Attorney General Olney may or may not be personally opposed to an income tax, but if he is opposed it is certainly not upon constitutional grounds, or he could not have made the great and masterly argument he did this week, before the supreme court, in favor of the constitutional right of congress to impose an income tax. Mr. Olney is no orator, in the popular conception of the word, but there was a confidence in the tone in which he talked in a plain, matter of fact, straightforward way to the court, showing that a decision against the constitutionality of the income tax would reverse no less than five previous decisions of the supreme court, which was far more convincing to ordinary minds than the tricks of oratory resorted to by some of his opponents. The supreme court took a two weeks recess to day, in order to prepare decisions in this and other important cases. Should the decision be against the income tax the Treasury would be very much embarrassed on account of the consequent loss of revenue, and an early extra session of congress might have to be called. Already nearly $20,000 income tax has been paid into the treasury.

Ex Representative McAleer, came over from Philadelphia this week to invite the president, vice president, several members of the cabinet and some other prominent gentlemen to attend the annual St. Patrick's Day banquet of the Hiberian Society of that city, an organization which ante dates the revolution. The society was formerly known as the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. On its membership rolls are the names of Gen. George Washington. Gen. Anthony Wayne, who was at one time its president; Robert Morris, the great financier, and others of national reputation. Its present president is Mayor Stuart of Philadelphia. Nearly every president of the United States has been a guest of this society.

Secretary Herbert very readily understands that all of our naval officers, and their families, would like to visit Kiel, as the official guests of the Emperor of Germany, and take part in the ceremonies, which will doubtless be elaborate and enjoyable, in connection with the formal opening of the Baltic and North Sea Canal; but he also understands that business always comes before pleasure, and for that reason there is no probability that the great pressure, social and otherwise, brought to bear upon him to add other ships to the San Francisco and the Marblehead, which have been ordered to attend the canal opening, will be successful. There are more important reasons for keeping our ships elsewhere.

Senator Gorman celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday this week, and few men of forty are more spry. Among the souvenirs of the occasion was a handsome ivory-handled, gold-mounted horse whip, presented by one of his Washington admirers who knows the senator's fondness for driving a double team. The senator and his family will not go to Europe, as has been stated, but expect to spend the summer traveling through California, and probably extending the trip as far as Alaska, returning in time for the senator to take an active part in the campaign in Maryland.

It is expected that the new arrival in the Cleveland family will put in an appearance before the close of spring. The family will probably remain in the White House until that important event, although it has been their custom to spend the spring and early summer at their suburban residence. But what mother would care to leave the White House under such existing circumstances.

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A Mother Went Shopping.

Bethlehem, Pa., March 19.—With no thought of the terrible shock awaiting her, Mrs Frank Gubich returned home this afternoon from a shopping tour She had left her two little boys, one aged 3 years and the other a year or so old, alone in the house when she went out When she opened the door on her return a sickening odor struck her nostrils and with a dread of something horrible having happened, she hurried in. The poor mother's worst fears were realized, for lying on a rug was the dead body of her baby burned almost to a crisp, and beside the dead child was the older one writhing in agony from burns that will result in its death.

It is supposed that during the mother's absence the youngest child went too near the fire and its dress caught and it is probable that the other child attempted to extinguish the flames consuming his brother and so ignited his own clothing, and no help being at hand, both met with fatal injuries.

Legislation to Order.

Berlin, March 17.—Eugene Richters *Freisinnige Zeitung* gives a moving picture of the misery suffered by the council of state under the emperor's chairmanship. Richter says the members have got the point where they pray that the emperor will stay away and leave them free to say what they think. His majesty has a list of the speakers in his hand and dictates in order in which they may take the floor. As nobody dare go out when bored, all are obliged to remain fixed for hours in their chairs and listen to the most dolorous discussions or trifles. The most trivial speeches must be cheered. As the emperor has forbidden interruptions and cries of dissent, there is only a dreary waste of ready made applause for those taking part in the debates.

Ruined by Poker Playing.

Hartford, Conn., March 16.—Chase Robinson, secretary and treasury of the Bailey Manufacturing Company, of this city, committed suicide at his home today in Whethersfield, by shooting himself through the heart. President Bailey, of the company, said yesterday that Robinson was a defaulter to the extent of several hundred dollars, and was threatened with arrest. Robinson's downfall is attributed to poker playing.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Decadence of Families.

The permanence of prominent families is undergoing a severe strain in the United States.

There are in this country communities which have been in existence for 300 years, and yet it would be impossible to find any descendants of the prominent families of the first century, and indeed but very few of the second, while those of the present generation might be counted on one's fingers.

There lives no man in whose veins the blood of Washington runs. Perhaps it is best that it is so, for if the decay should have followed in his that over took the families of most others who were prominent with him, it would be pitable to see a Washington as a drunkard or an imbecile. The Adamses, the Shermans and a few other families have maintained respectability, but the great trend of the sons of prominent men has been downward.

The name of Jefferson Davis is, not perpetuated, nor is that of Alexander H Stephens. Like Washington both names must stand as closed in history. Even in those families which have been perpetuated, what pitable samples have been left for inspection.

If fatality follows the families of great men, how much more sweeping it has been with the families of rich men. Almost before the founder of the family has retired from active business, he sees his sons gone to the dogs, the creatures of evil habits and rushing headlong into the great abyss. Meanwhile the office boy in the business house on which this fortune was built up, is destined to control it later on.

Time, like the tide, is a great leveler. Those who shone last year are begging for alms at the backdoor this year, and thus all danger of an aristocracy based upon birth is impossible.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

Hastings for President.

Washington, D. C., March 18.—Governor Hastings, of Pennsylvania, it, is stated, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency next year. It is said that the recent announcement by a number of Republican members of the Pennsylvania legislature that they preferred Governor Hastings to the others mentioned for the nomination was not incidental, but was part of the plan to press him for the nomination before the Republican national convention next year. Senator Quay is said to be favorably disposed to the plan, in spite of the fact that he is positively claimed by the friends of Mr. Reed as being in favor of of Mr. Reed's nomination. Senator Quay is not here to speak for himself, but it is said for him that he would always reserve the right to support a Pennsylvania candidate.

Incidentally, Senator Quay's favorable attitude towards the Hastings question will of course, help him in maintaining his hold on the management of the Republican party in the state and in controling the Pennsylvania delegation to the next national convention. Pennsyvania has usually held a "favorite son" in Republican. National conventions, so that it would not be strange to have the Pennsylvania delegation presenting the name of Governor Hastings to the convention.

Killed by His Own Invention.

Duluth, March 16.—While Frederick Marcott, the inventor of a patent rope fire escape, was giving an exhibition at the Spaulding House this evening, assisted by his little cousin, George Marcott, aged 12, the rope broke when they were at the third story and they fell head downward upon the stone sidewalk, some 60 feet below. The boy was instantly killed, his head being crushed like an egg shell, while Mr. Marcott, who struck partly on his back, was picked up unconscious and with several bones broken and his head terribly mangled. Mr Marcott was taken to the hospital, where the doctors say he cannot live until morning.

The exhibition was being made for the special benefit of the legislative party, which had just arrived in the city. They had previously made several trips in safety, but the rope broke on the last trial.

A Woman Lynched by Fiends.

Butte, Neb., March 18.—After a terrific battle for her life and honor, Mrs. W. E. Holton, of Keys Paha county, who had been summoned to testify against cattle-rustling thieves, was brutally assaulted and lynched in her home last night. Neighbors found her body lying on the floor, with a piece of rope about ten feet long and a hammer and hatchet beside her.

The woman was living alone, as her husband had been sent to an insane asylum. She was a woman of excellent reputation, but was known to possess information against the cattle-rustlers, who have long been a terror to that region. It was evident that she had struggled desperately with hef fiendish assailants, as the bedding and the clothing were torn and scattered about the room.

No New County Wanted.

Hazelton, Pa., March 18.—Recent changes in public sentiment here make it highly improbable that there will be any division in Luzerne county, as is contemplated by the bill now pending before the state legislature. Opposition to the proposed new county is daily growing, and many of those who were most enthusiastic for the division at first are now against it, because of the large increase in taxation which would follow.

The influential delegation that was in Harrisburg last week have brought back word that there is very little chance of the legislature passing the measure, and that if the friends of United States Senator Quay really wants to get a county in the state named after their favorite they will have to go outside of Luzerne.

Jackson, Ky., 16.—The jury in the case of Catherine McQuinn, charged with complicity in the murder of Dr. Rader, returned a verdict this morning of guilty of murder in the first degree, and fixed her punishment at confiement in the state prison for life. When the verdict was read, not a muscle of Mrs Quinn's face moved, and as she left the court room in charge of the jailer she smiled as some of the members of the jury walked with her.

Mrs. McQuinn is one of the coolest criminals, either man or woman, ever tried in Breathitt county. She has a rosy complexion, which never paled during the trial. The jury were only out an hour and a half. Mrs. McQuinn's attorneys will appeal the case again.

SPAIN IN MOURNING.

Much Sorrow Over the Reina Regenta's Loss.

420 PERSONS WERE DROWNED.

The Queen Regent Greatly Distressed. Only 20 Inches of the Vessel's Masts Above Water The Vessel's Fate Had Been Uncertain Since March 13.

MADRID, March 20.—The positive news of the loss of the Spanish cruiser Reina Regenta which reached here from Cadiz immediately after the arrival there of the cruiser Alfonso XII, caused the greatest emotion in Madrid and throughout Spain. The Queen Regent was deeply distress By her majesty's orders, the sacrament has been exposed night and day, in the Royal chapel from the time the first report of the disaster reached her, and by her direction prayers for the safety of the crew of the Reina Regenta have been said continuously ever since.

The Alfonso XII reported having found the latter vessel sunk near Bajo Aceitanos, not far from the straits of Gibraltar. Only 20 inches of the Reina Regenta's masts were above water The Alfonso XII has returned to the scene of the wreck with a number of divers and diving appliances to recover the bodies of the crew of the sunken war ship The Reina Regenta was reported missing March 13 She had just conveyed from Cadiz to Tangier the returning Moorish mission to Spain The cruiser left Tangier on March 10 for Cadiz She carried a crew of 420 officers and men, and all hands are believed to have perished

Deputy Diaz Moreau, who was formerly an officer in the Spanish navy in the chamber of deputies during the evening of March 14, read the statement of a former commander of the Reina Regenta in which the writer described the cruiser as a vessel unable to weather a heavy storm owing to the increased weight of her armament In the senate, Admiral Beranger, formerly minister of marine said that the Reina Regenta was one of the best ships in her class She was well appointed in every way, and if she was lost he believed she must have collided with another vessel or have gone ashore

Reported the Canal Impracticable.

CLEVELAND, March 20.—The chamber of commerce has received a formal report from a committee upon the proposed ship canal between Pittsburg and Lake Erie. It was to the effect that if such a canal was made it would be of mutual benefit to Cleveland and Pittsburg, but that the scheme was impracticable. The report was adopted.

Lord Rosebery Can't Sleep.

LONDON, March 20.—The Times says it is officially informed that Prime Minister Rosebery's convalescence is much retarded by lack of sleep, even a change of air from London to the country has produced little effect in this respect, and he is quite unable to attend to any but the most urgent business.

A Minister Dies Suddenly

TORONTO, Ont., March 20.—Rev. Dr Davies, bursar of Trinity college for the past ten years has died suddenly

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—There were 20,000 persons in line in a St. Patrick's day parade in Chicago on Sunday.

—Ex-Mayor Richardson, of New Castle, was found guilty of bribery and fined $2.50 and costs.

—Emma Blair at McKeesport, has sued Oscar E. Krueger for $10,000 for breach of promise.

—Thomas Duke was convicted, at Hollidaysburg, of stealing Altoona city bonds valued at $9,000.

—Over 300 fire companies will be represented at the firement's tournament at Reading next October.

—Farmers of Berks county have 1,000 barrels of apples stored at Reading in a temperature of thirty two-degrees.

—Judge Kennedy, of Pittsburg, decided on Thursday, that if a passenger is injured on a railroad while riding on a pass, it did not exempt the company from damages.

—Four men were buried under the walls of the Commercial Trading Company's building which was destroyed by fire at Laramie, Wyo., Thursday. James Foster was killed and George Cordiner, a universal student, fatally injured.

—Cincinnati whiskey dealers have signed an agreement refusing to recognize the advance in spirits ordered by the trust, and will continue to quote at $1.25. This is evidence that the dealers will not follow the future orders of the receiver.

—Walter Chanin, aged 78, was married at Wilkesbarre on Saturday. They were lovers 60 years ago and were separated. Each married another, and, after the death of their first consorts, they met again. The old love was renewed and the rest of the story was told in the ceremony that took place before Magistrate Brisbin.

—Jonson Jacob, a Choctow, was sentenced to be shot on Pushmataha court grounds, in Indian territory on Friday, for the murdar of his wife last fall. Jacob had pulled off his coat and boots, painted the spot over his heart and taken his seat to await the firing of the sheriff's Winchester when a courier arrived with a reprieve granting a hearing before the supreme court.

—Thomas Connor, alias "Boozey," a professional tramp, died at the Altoona hospital Saturday night. He was admitted to that institution early Saturday morning, having been taken there on Oyster Express from Mill Creek, Huntingdon county, where he fell from a freight train, while intoxicated, and sustained a fracture of the skull. He was thirty-five or forty years of age.

—Mrs. Amelia Schwab, of No. 8620 First avenue, New York, while suffering from a temporary fit of melancholy on Sunday, leaped from a rear window of her apartments on the fifth floor to the ground below. She struck on the right side of her head, smashing the frontal bone and crushing the skull to a pancake. In addition half the bones in the woman's body were broken. In company with her husband she was to have sailed for Germany, her home, on Tuesday.

—Max Samuels, the Pittsburg tin peddler, who was found dead at Broadford on Friday night, was not murdered as has been reported. Deputy Coroner James Echad, who held the inquest, states that Samuels was undoubtedly struck by a train. A verdict of accidental death was rendered. About ten dollars in money and a watch and chain were in his pockets. The reports published about a gang of desperadoes doing wholesale robbery in this section are without foundation.

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Pure Silk
BLACK GROS-GRAINS, 50c., 60c. and 65c. a yard.

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Extent and variety unequaled. Prices better than the best you've ever done on anything like the quality and styles:

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We might go on and fill pages enumerating the Choice dainty WASH FABRICS of this extensive stock, but greater satisfaction will be given you by coming or sending for samples and seeing for yourself those most attractive collections. That prices are right is proven by the immense MAIL ORDER BUSINESS done. Will you write and see about it?

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Seashore Express, week days	6 30 a m
Altoona Accommodation, week days	9 25 a m
Day Express, daily	11 04 a m
Altoona Express, daily	1 00 p m
Harrisburg Accommodation, Sundays only	1 07 p m
Mail Express, daily	5 17 p m
Philadelphia Express, daily	8 12 p m

WEST.

Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8 37 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2 36 p m
Mail Train, week days	4 26 p m
Fast Line, daily	8 28 p. m
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 34 p m

Ebensburg Branch.

Trains leave as follows: 7.20 a. m., and 3.20 p. m. and arrive at Cresson at 7.57, a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Leave Cresson at 9.45, a. m and 5.35 p. m., and arrive at Ebensburg at 10.20 a. m. and 6.10 p. m.

Cresson and Clearfield.

Leave Irvona at 6.45 a. m. and 3.00 p. m. arriving at Cresson at 8.05 a. m. and 4.20 p. m. Leave Cresson 9.30 a. m. and 5.30 p. m., arriving at Irvona at 10.50 a m. and 6.50 p. m.

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EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Luke Rodgers, late of Munster township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to me, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay and those having claims against the same to present duly authenticated for settlement.

ANNA RODGERS, Executrix.

Munster Twp., Feb. 8, 1895.

TO

THE MONEY SAVERS

OF

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While other merchants are advertising "Clearance Sale" shop-worn goods, Bradley's have opened the most complete line new Spring Goods. All the latest things of the season at prices than you ever knew or heard of. Come to where you have a choice.

25 Yards of Yard-Wide Muslin for $1.00

50-inch Black Henrietta for 45 cents per yard. Choice shades Cashmere at 20 cents—full 36-inch goods.

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These are a few of the many Bargains awaiting you at

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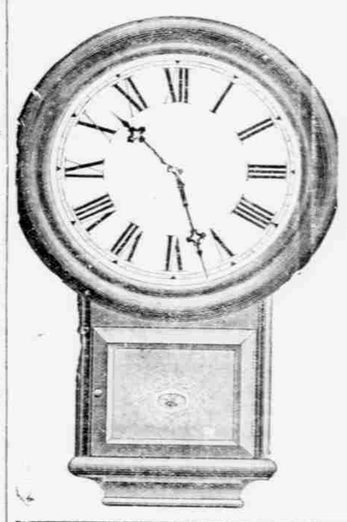

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When you want GOOD FLOUR take your grain to the OLD SHENKLE MILL in Ebensburg. The

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for the manufacture of Flour has been put in the Old Shenkle Grist Mill in Ebensburg and turns out nothing but

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Bring in your grain and give us a trial. Each man's grain in ground separately and you get the Flour of your own wheat. If farmers wish to exchange grain for Flour they can do so. The Mill is running every day with the BEST OF POWER.

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Use none but the Best Stock, and pay particular attention to the setting of all work. Also agents for the famous Champion Iron Fence.

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Having opened up in the shop lately occupied by J. A. Boner in the West ward of Ebensburg, I am prepared to do all kinds of Wagon and Carriage work on the shortest notice and on reasonable terms. Special attention given to Repair work and satisfaction guaranteed.

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EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

FRIDAY, - - - MARCH 22, 1895.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Ebensburg public schools will open April 22nd.

D. G. Myers, Esq., of Ashville, was a visitor in Ebensburg on Monday.

Mr. Henry Seymore, of Gallitzin, was in Ebensburg on Wednesday.

The M. E. church, of this place, will be dedicated on Sunday April 28th.

Mr. Patrick J. Mulligan, of Cresson, was a visitor to Ebensburg on Wednesday.

On and after May 1st there will be a mail between Ebensburg and Vetera.

Mr. Martin Leap, one of Cassandra's enterprising citizens, was in town on Monday.

Mr. E. C. Parrish will erect a store-room on his property on High street the coming summer.

Mr. Edward Hoover, of the Almshouse, is retiring his stewardship, will farm in Cambria township.

Miss Bertha McAteer, of Loretto, has accepted a position in the Western Union telegraph office, during the absence of Mr. J. D. Lucas.

Messrs. James Wilkinson & Son, the popular marble dealers in this place, have an advertisement in another column.

Messrs. Lloyd Eger and John S. Eger, administrators of Andrew Eger, late of Cresson township, have published a notice in this issue.

Mrs. Sarah Fritz died at her home in Carrolltown on Sunday night from dropsy, after a long illness, and was buried by her husband and three children.

The hearing in the illness of Judge Barker on the motion in the Blair-White contest-ed election case has been postponed until April 1st.

Mr. Daniel Rudabaugh, of South Fork, will have sales in Ebensburg on Thurs-days, and the FREEMAN office a pleas-ant call.

Mr. Samuel S. Driggs, formerly of this place, was married at Huntingdon on Fri-day last to Miss Mary E. Bremer, of Hol-lidaysburg.

Mr. G. A. Gill, of the Hastings *Trib-une*, came to Ebensburg on Mon-day and while here paid the FREEMAN a pleasant call.

Mr. John Rosenstiel, a former resident of Ebensburg but lately of Ashville, has re-turned and will open up a shoe shop in the room formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. Myers.

The largest shipment of coal ever made from the Rosedale and Clearfield Coal and Iron company's works at Frugality was made on Wednesday.

The funeral of Henry Scanlan, Esq., took place at Carrolltown on Monday and was attended by a number of people from this place.

If you drop soot on the carpet the sweeping is moving, cover it thickly with salt and it may be swept up with-out raising the carpet.

Mr. John Fenton fell on the icy pavement in James' drug store on Thurs-day and cut his head slightly, but sustained no serious injury.

Mr. Thomas B. Davis, mason, one of Ebensburg's oldest citizens, is visiting his brother in Lima, Ohio. The two brothers have not met for forty-four years.

The Ebensburg Cycle Club is arranging with the Athletic Association of the Johnstown University to give an exhibi-tion early next month.

Mr. Lorenz, a well-known business man of Johnstown, on Wednesday made an assignment to George Muehlhauser, of that city, for the benefit of his creditors.

The Misses Flack, daughter of Mr. Thomas Flack, of Carrolltown, left on Mon-day last for a home where she will enter the Convent of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

Mr. Daniel Hamm will sell a couple of building squares of ground in the East Ward of Ebensburg, at public sale on Sat-urday afternoon, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the premises.

The barn of Cook Simpson, near Mar-tinsburg, Blair county, was burned on Friday night with its contents. Seven mules were cremated. The fire was of incendia-ry origin. The loss is about $3,000.

Children's range at Latrobe was rob-bed on Wednesday night. The burglars broke a plate glass window to gain entrance. They secured a large lot of clothing and made good their escape.

The Republicans of Blair county have adopted the Cranford county system of voting and registration. If it works in Blair and other counties Blair will be a Repub-lican county in a very few years.

Subscribers about to change their res-idence on the 1st of April should let us know in time and where to send their paper and in changing your present ad-dress always state which is changed.

Mr. J. E. Bender, formerly of Carroll-town, has erected up a wagon-making shop at Hastings a short time ago, on which he and his family and household goods in the West Ward property in the West Ward.

The Johnstown bank, of which James E. Scanlan, Esq., of Brookville, is president, has reopened its doors last week to the relief of depositors. The bank is a sound institution, but will re-sume business with its notes.

Mrs. Magdalena Durbin, surviving execu-trix of Augustine Durbin, deceased, will of-fer at public sale on the premises in Mun-ster township, on Saturday, April 13th, at 2 o'clock p. m., a valuable farm property. See advertisement in another column.

Mr. Jacob Swisher, of Spangler, has purchased a daily mail will be run between Spangler and Martin-sburg, via Nicktown, on and after May 1. The postoffice de-partment invites bids for carrying the mail between the two points.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has purchased 30 acres at Blairsville a short distance from which it will erect a large round-house and large car and engine shops for all the repair work of the Pittsburg division. This will con-siderably increase the round and shop men at that point.

The Altoona *Daily Tribune* came out on Monday in a new dress and changed from a six-column quarto. It was a neat paper before the change and is handsome after the fashions, the *Tribune* is more than ever. It is one of the best papers that comes to our office and we hope it may always prosper.

Mr. Samuel Troxell, of Reade township, Clearfield county, was buried at Houtzdale, Clearfield county, on Thursday of last week by the Odd Fellows. His remains were brought to Ebensburg for interment, which took place on Friday afternoon at Gra-gow on Sat-urday morning. He is survived by a wife, three sisters and two brothers.

The barn of Richard Hitchew, in Brady township, caught fire on Wed-nesday about noon and was totally de-stroyed. The loss is estimated at about $1,000, on which there was an insurance of $600. The fire is supposed to have origi-nated from the lighting of a match by some children who were playing in the barn.

—John White, son of Thomas White, of near Ambrose, started from Altoona for his home just before the great blizzard in the fore part of February and has not been heard from since. As his road lay through Carrolltown, it is thought that the rig re-cently dug from a huge snow drift near that place was the one he drove and that he perished.—*Indiana Democrat.*

—At a meeting of the Ebensburg council on Saturday evening, Councilman Davis, of the West ward, moved that the annual statement of the receipts and expenditures of the borough be published in the *Herald* and FREEMAN. The motion was seconded by Councilman Stough, and the question being put to a vote, was carried. See the statement published in another column.

—In the Blair county court on Wednes-day morning Judge Martin Bell made the following sentences to imprisonment in the Western penitentiary: Thomas Duke, who burglarized the Altoona city treasury of $8,000 in bonds, eight years; William Jasper, a negro peeacher and forger, seven years; Cornelius Nagle, burglary, three years; James Tobin, highwayman, four years.

—It is a remarkable coincidence that on Good Friday next April 12, the heavenly bodies which gravitate round the sun will be in exactly the same position they occu-pied in the firmament the day Christ died on the cross. It will be the first time such a thing has occurred since that great day, 1862 years. That was the thirty-third year of the Christian era, which dates from the birth of Jesus Christ.

—H. M. Baldridge, a leading corporation lawyer of Central Pennsylvania and a late candidate for president judge of Blair county, dropped dead in front of his law office at Hollidaysburg on Monday. The deceased was 52 years of age. Mr. Bald-ridge was overcome by a stroke of appo-plexy while arguing a case before the su-preme court in Philadelphia two weeks ago and had not fully recovered. His son, Howard Baldridge, is United States Dis-trict Attorney at Omaha, Neb.

—A telegram from Somerset under date of March 19th says: Loechel's hotel, Beachy Bros.' hardware store, Saylor and Livengood's clothing store, P. L. Liven-good's dwelling house, the Star job print-ing house, Dr. Specher's drug store and residence, and Mrs. O. P. Boyer's resi-dence at Salisbury, this county, were de-stroyed by fire last night. Loss, $45,000; insurance, $25,000. Salisbury's population is about 1,000 and the portion destroyed is the principal block in the town. The fire originated in the Star office.

—For the extraction of a horse's tooth at Lewistown the services of five doctors were required. The horse was chloroformed and a hole bored through its upper jaw until the root of the tooth was touched, when a drill was inserted and the tooth driven out, after which another hole was made between the cavity and the brain to allow the puss accumulated therein to run out, and relieving the animal of consider-able suffering. The operation was so suc-cessful that in the evening the horse was able to eat the feed given it with a relish.

—Samuel Fry, of Hastings, was arrested at that place one day last week to answer a charge of bigamy, adultry and desertion preferred by his wife, whom he deserted in Adams county two years ago. After leaving Adams county he went to Has-tings where he was employed as stable boss at Sterling mines and becoming ac-quainted with a Miss Miller, daughter of Adam Miller and under the pretense that he was a single man, married her. He was taken to Johnstown where he was con-fronted with wife No. 1, and pleading guilty to the charges, was brought to jail on Friday last.

—A most distressing accident happened at Wilkinsburg station on Monday morn-ing, by which a well-known young lady of that place will be crippled for life. In at-tempting to board a moving train Miss Mary Crombie was thrown under the wheels, her left hand and foot being so ter-ribly mangled that amputation had to be performed shortly after. The victim of the sad occurrence is only 16 years old and was on her way to school in Pittsburg, ac-cording to her usual custom. She was late, however, in reaching the station, and im-prudently attempted to boad the train af-ter it had started.

—The distribution of the sugar bounty will place about $4,756.56 among maple sugar producers of the Somerset internal revenue collection district. Two hundred and twelve claims for bounty have been filed in the collector's office in Pittsburg, a majority of them being filed by farmers from Somerset county. The largest claim presented by any producer in Ohio, West Virginia or Pennsylvania is that of Elijah Livengood, of Elk Lick township, Somer-set county, who will receive $207.92. A dis-patch from Washington says the inter-nal revenue official would not make public Mr. Livengood's place of residence.

—Representative Stineman has present-ed a bill appropriating $2,725 to W. C. Wolfe for loss of property alleged wrong-fully destroyed by the board of health at Johnstown on June 17, 1889. Mr. Wolfe was at the time of the flood on the 31st day of May, 1889, a mechanical engineer, draughtsman and designer, with office at No. 352 Railroad street, corner of Feeder street, and house at No. 109 Adams street. For some reason, best known to the au-thorities, it was thought best for the entire community that much property should be burned or otherwise destroyed. He may in consequence have sustained the loss he claims.

—This is a peculiar world, remarks an exchange. One is struggling for justice, another if fleeing from it. One man is saving money to build a house, and an-other is trying to sell his for less than it cost to build it. One man is spending all he can make in taking his girl to the thea-ter and sending her flowers, with the hope of making her his wife while his neighbor is spending what gold he has in getting a divorce. One man escapes all diseases that flesh is heir to and gets killed on the railroad. Another escapes with a scratch and dies with the whooping cough. One man stands off all his creditors and goes traveling, while another pays his debts and stays at home.

—Louis Wissinger, of Conemaugh town-ship, this county, will be 102 years of age in June next. He is without doubt the old-est man in this section of the state. He is a son of a veteran of the revolution, who came from New York in 1786, and settled near Bedford. A few years after he moved, with a company of pioneers, to Cambria county, having been granted a patent on a plot of ground about a mile east of the present site of Walnut Grove. It was on this plot that Louis was born, June 15, 1793. All of the citizens of the Conemaugh valley are acquainted with Lewis Wissinger, and it is said that there are no less than 500 per-sons within a radius of five miles of Johns-town who can claim relationship with him.

—In a letter to the Pittsburg *Times*, a correspondent speaks of the early days of the lumbering industry in Clearfield county and says in part: "But these good old days have gone, never to return. This spring there will be less than fifty rafts on the river. Clearfield county was not great-ly benefitted by the millions of pine trees that went out of it. Neither did the men who owned the trees, made the timber, hauled, rafted and ran it, make much more than wages at the business. The supply was considered inexhaustible and fortunes were floated away only to enrich the eastern capitalists who bought it at their own fig-ures. Lock Haven and Williamsport were built by our people and their citizens en-riched by our labor."

—Andrew Havenack, a workman at the Gautier works, Johnstown, was struck by a Cambria Iron Company engine while walking through the yard on his way home on Tuesday morning and had his right arm cut off at the shoulder, his left leg ground off at the knee and his right leg cut off at the ankle. He was taken to the Cambria hospital in an ambulance but there is little prospect for his recovery.

—The extensive town of Barnesboro, Cambria Co., was established by Alfred Tucker and Thomas Barnes two years ago, where they are large owners of coal lands and have several mines in operation, and will open two additional ones this spring, which will make their capacity there over 3,000 tons daily. The coal is unexcelled in quality. They have a contract from the William Cramp & Sons Ship & Engine Building Company.—*Coal Trade Journal.*

—Westmoreland county was the scene of another murder last week and this time it is a double one. A Hungarian woman, whose husband had been killed in the mines some weeks ago, sold her property and taking what money she could realize from her effects, making a sum of nearly $500, in company with her eight-year-old daughter, started for Mt. Pleasant, where they expected to take the cars for New York, expecting there to take passage on a steamer for Hungary. But the two never reached Mt. Pleasant. Their dead bod-ies were found by the roadside, terribly mangled and robbed of all their money. It is thought some of her countrymen, knowing she had money, followed her and committed the cruel murder.

Cambria County Grange Meeting.

The next meeting of the Cambria Coun-ty Pomona Grange will convene in the hall in Patton on Monday afternoon, April 1st, 1895, at one o'clock sharp, for a two days' session. The following program will be carried out:

MONDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

Objects of Pomona Granges, H. F. Hill, lecturer of Pennsylvania State Grange; practical dairying from a disinterested stand-point, T. W. Hughes; recitation, Mrs. Kate R. Lilly; Silos and Silo building, T. L. Parrish; oleomargerine, A. B. Kirsch.

OPEN SESSION, MONDAY NIGHT.

Beginning at 7 o'clock. Quartette, J. Grambling, J. F. Thomas, F. Huber and J. F. Huber; recitation, Misses Annie J. Garret and Minnie Farabaugh; solo, E. W. Greene, editor Patton *Courier*; lecture on organization, H. F. Hill. The public is cordially invited to attend this session.

PRIVATE SESSION TUESDAY MORNING.

Reports of subordinate granges; recita-tion by Mrs. T. L. Parrish; proceedings of the farmer's national congress, John F. Thomas.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

Begins at 1 o'clock. The fifth degree of the order will be conferred at this session in full form. The proceedings of all ses-sions will be interspersed with music and and songs. After any subject is intro-duced, discussion will be permitted in which all are welcome to take a part. The general routine of business pertaining to the order will be taken up at the pleasure of the grange.

Alex Strittmatter, Master; Thomas L. Parrish, lecturer; George W. Garret, sec-retary.

The Blair County Commissioners.

The Blair county auditors concluded their investigation of the county commis-sioners at Hollidaysburg on Wednesday. Contractor Norman Wilt and Daniel Gib-bony testified that Commissioner Funk told them on different occasions that he and Commissioner Hurd ran the office them-selves, and that they had no use for the third encumbent of the board, Commission-er Fagley. They said they transacted business without consulting Commissioner Fagley.

The most startling evidence of the day was given by County Surveyor J. Linden Henry, who testified that he had been em-ployed by the auditors to measure the ma-sonry of the Kladder, Frankstown and Franklin Forge bridges. He found that there was a difference of about 100 perches in his measurement and that made and sworn to by the county commissioners and that the county commissioners paid out about $1,600 for masonry that was not in the bridges.

As shown Commissioners Funk and Hurd had paid out between $3,000 and $3,700 and the auditors will surcharge them with that amount and recommend that they be dis-missed from office by the court and indict-ed.

Commissioner Fagley will not be includ-ed in this recommendation, as he was able to show that he always protested against the action of Hurd and Funk and signed none of the orders authorizing the pay-ment of that sum of money. Already there are numerous applicants in the field for appointments so succeed Commission-ers Funk and Hurd.

Obituary.

SYBERT.—Died at her home in Gal-litzin township on Saturday, March 16th, 1895, Mrs. Martha Sybert, wife of S. P. Sybert.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Martha Bradley, was born near Loretto, March 3, 1829. Her parents were among the early settlers who followed the Prince priest—Demetrius Gallitzin,—to Loretto. She was baptized by him, and was always a faithful member of the Catholic church. She was educated in the common schools at Loretto, and taught a number of years in the public schools of Cambria county.

On the 29th of January, 1861, the decease-ed was married to Sebastian P. Sybert. They went to live near Carrolltown, where they resided up until the fall of 1884, when they, together with their family, moved to their present residence. Mrs. Sybert was the mother of seven children, six of whom are living: Edward J., of Altoona; Mary Noel, who, with her husband, lives at Ir-vona, Clearfield county; Alphonsus, who lives at home; William, of Altoona; John, who is at home, and Jennie, who is at-tending school at Philadelphia. Gilbert died when a child. The funeral took place on Monday morning from St. Michael's church, Loretto, interment being made in in the church cemetery.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were is-sued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, March 21, 1895:

Charles Heffley, Pittsburg, and Lucy M. Heintz, Johnstown.

Carle M. Hogue and Annie C. Mangues, Morrellville.

Charles VanScoyoc and Ada Kuhn, Reade township.

Andrew Pittman, Green township, Indi-ana county, and Lizzie Mahan, Cambria township.

Herman Lape and Mary Ellen Glesner, Geistown.

Jacob Shingler, Orbisonia, Pa., and Ka-tie Skutchall, Johnstown.

Ludwig Wirtz and Minnie Miller, Mor-rellville.

A Good Scheme for any Town.

There is a scheme in vogue at Middle-port, which, it would seem, might very profitably be tried anywhere. Each year a local auctioneer sets apart a day upon which he will sell for the town people any-thing which they may wish to dispose of. The result is a very large number of mis-cellaneous articles which change hands generally to the gratification of both first and second owners. The auctioneer is paid a percentage upon his sales. Such a sale allows the people to unload the con-tents of old attics and back woodsheds of articles absolutely useless to them, and yet, which often prove very serviceable to other persons.—*Jersey Shore Herald.*

The Licenses.

On Saturday Judge Barker filed in the prothonotary's office the list of licenses granted and refused. There were 229 ap-plications, and of this number 164 were granted and 64 refused. The licenses of H. C. Beck, of Patton; S. C. Kirkpatrick, of Hastings, and R. E. Lamberd, of Third ward, Johnstown, were granted subject to a rule upon them to show cause why they should not be revoked. The license of G. W. Shiffler, of Portage, was held over to await the completion of his house. The following is the list of those refused:

SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Franklin borough—J. R. Dobbins.

Johnstown—John Kirby, James Flinn, Mt. Pleasant Brewing Company, whole-sale; C. J. Hoffman, wholesale; John Horton, Charles Jones, Robert Sagerson, David Kirby, Scottdale Brewing Com-pany, wholesale; Christ Mintmier, whole-sale; Charles B. McAteer, Evan A. James, Jr., wholesale; J. M. Dodson, Nicholas Blum, Edward B. Kautz, Henry Shaffer, Emanuel James, Jr., Albert Mitz-laff, Albert K. Geiselhart, William F. Burgraff, Peter Murton, Patrick Boyle, Christ Eger, Victor Faith, William Schneider.

Morrellville—Francis Leckey, 55 Fair-field avenue.

Richland township—James Houghton, John Ott.

Roxbury borough—Henry Koch.

South Fork—Charles N. Crouse, C. A. Pringle.

NORTHERN DISTRICT.

Ashville—James Hanlan.

Barnesboro—M. C. Weakland, Michael M. McAnulty.

Barr township—H. A. Luther.

Carroll township—Patrick Harrigan.

Chest Springs—Richard Ivory.

Cresson township—Hugh O'Donnell.

Dean township—S. A. Cooper, Wm. P. Delaney.

Gallitzin borough—Arnholdt Brewing Co., wholesale; George Aukenbauer, wholesale.

Hastings—Jacob Bollinger.

Lilly—George Kurtz.

Patton—John Boyce, J. F. Marks & J. P. Bonner, Walter J. Weakland, T. W. Letts, P. P. Young, wholesale; W. S. Cur-ran, George DeGarmo, W. P. Douglass.

Portage borough—John F. Belter, John H. Kuhn, W. S. Confer, Thomas J. Scan-lan.

Portage township—James Daily, J. W. Franey.

Spangler—F. H. Bearer, Henry C. Dunn.

Tunnelhill—Bernard Glancey.

Washington township—Michael D. Beck, Wilmore—D. D. McHugh.

Of Interest to Pensioners.

Captain Skinner, the United States Pen-sion Agent at Pittsburg, under date of March 6, 1895, was advised by the commis-sioner of pensions that it was not the in-tention of the Interior Department to issue increase certificates in any of the cases fav-orably affected by the Act of March 2, 1895, which provides that all pensioners now on the rolls pensioned at less than $6 per month shall have their pension increas-ed to $6 per month.

In order to facilitate the payment of the increase Captain Skinner was instructed by the bureau to prepare and forward to each pensioner, the rate of whose pension had been increased by said Act, a new voucher to take the place of that already sent with the check for the January pay-ment, to be executed by said pensioner on or after April 4, 1895, adding to the regular quarterly payment at the old rate the ad-ditional amount due such pensioners from March 2, 1895, under the provision of said Act, and requesting the pensioner to re-turn the voucher already in his possession for cancellation.

The new voucher will be accompanied by a circular which should be attached firmly to the pension certificate in the pos-session of the pensioner, as the same must be exhibited to the officers before whom the vouchers shall be hereafter executed, in explanation of the difference in the rate expressed in future vouchers and that contained in the pension certificate.

All officers, including fourth-class post-masters, who are authorized to administer oaths in the execution of pension vouch-ers, as well as the pensioner affected by said Act, should note carefully these in-structions.

Real Estate Transfers.

A. W. Buck et al. to J. C. Kessler, White; consideration, $535.

Cambria Iron Company to Henry A. Riblett; East Conemaugh, $350.

John A. Crum to Stephen Haddon, as-signee, Croyle, $1.

M. D. Wills et ux. to Patrick W. Finn, Clearfield, $3.

Cambria Iron Company to Frederick Krorzen, Johnstown, $225.

James A. Bradley to Mary Croyle et al., Gallitzin, $1,500.

Thomas Sweeny et ux. to Andrew Kis-kitsko, Johnstown, $1,545.

Jeremiah Shull et ux. to Simon Murphy, Scalp Level, $1,400.

John McDermott et ux. to Margaret L. Kaylor, Johnstown, $4,550.

L. H. Auman et ux. to Harry Heinze, Johnstown, $1.

Alexander L. Black et ux. to Thomas J. Bell, assignee, Johnstown, $1.

Caron Leahey et ux. to Martha Leahey, Lilly, $300.

Cambria Iron Company to John R. Green, Johnstown, $250.

Harry Heinze to Catharine Auman, Johnstown, $1.

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Right Rev. Richard Phelan to Pennsyl-vania Railroad Company, Johnstown, $2,500.

John L. Wagner to Samuel Wissinger, East Conemaugh, $250.

G. M. Stay to J. J. Rhoddy, Gallitzin township, $80.

Eugene Litzinger et al. to Charles Tom-linson, Allegheny, $700.

D. G. Myers et ux. to Thomas H. Myers, assignee, Ashville, etc., $7.

Joseph Kramer to Charles Simon, Johns-town, $1,200.

Caught Four Bear Cubs.

David Keogh and Andrew Yeckley, of Gallitzin, arrived in Altoona on Tuesday morning with three cub bears, which they offered for sale. The cubs were captured Sunday on Lake mountain, near Lloyds-ville.

While Messrs. Keogh and Yeckley were crossing the mountain, they were attacked by a huge female bear. Bruin fought des-perately, but was finally compelled to re-treat, after having been severely wounded. During the struggle the too men had their clothing badly torn, and their flesh was lacerated in several places by the angry beast.

After the bear had been driven away, Messrs. Keogh and Yeckley found four cubs huddled together near by. The mother returned and renewed the attack when she saw her off-spring being carried away, but was again driven off.

The four cubs were taken to Gallitzin, where one of them was sold and the others were taken to Altoona. They are about three months old.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.
Letters of administration upon the estate of Andrew Eger, late of Cresson township, Cam-bria county, Pa., deceased, having been granted by the Register of Cambria county to Eliza J. Eger and John S. Eger, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make im-mediate payment and those having claims against the same will present them duly authen-ticated for payment.

ELIZA J. EGER, Cresson P. O.,
JOHN S. EGER, Altoona, P. O.,
Administrators.
J. F. McKENRICK, Attorney for estate.
Ebensburg, Pa.,
March 22, 1895.X.

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Miscellaneous Notices.

TWO Heating Stoves at cost at Dufton .

WANTED—A regular customer for the Best Country Butter. For particulars call at this office.

FURS.
The highest market price paid for all kinds of Furs by George L. Fredericks, Ebensburg, Pa.

WANTED—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Ad-dress 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. meh22

FOR SALE OR RENT.
A new eight room house on Lloyd street. For particulars call on
E. DUFTON,
Ebensburg, Pa.

A LARGE assortment of granite enamelled ware with another 20 per cent. reduction which makes it almost as cheap as tinware. Just received at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

THE Ebensburg Marble and Granite Works are offering a reduction of 5 per cent. on all work ordered before the 1st of May. This is done in order to avoid the rush for Decoration Day work.

FARMERS.
Your attention is kindly called to the best hay carrier on the market and at a reasonable price. Call and see it at GEO. HUNTLEY'S.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Eb-ensburg, on the fourth Monday in March, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS,
LESTER LARIMER, Secretary. President.

ANY person desiring Single Comb White Leg-horn Eggs can secure them by addressing Hott Bros., Carrolltown, Pa., or Blair House, Ebensburg, Pa. Single setting, 15 eggs, $1; two settings, 30 eggs, $2; three settings, 45 eggs, $2.75. meh22 3t.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ebensburg Building and Loan Association will be held Monday, the 25th day of March, 1895, at 8:30 P. M., at Council Chamber, Ebens-burg, Pa., for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may be necessary.
LESTER LARIMER,
Ebensburg, Pa., March 15, 1895. Secretary.

FARMERS AND BUILDERS.
I have put in a car load of steel wire nails and fence wire before the advance which I will sell for a limited time at prices before the ad vance. As there will likely be another advance by the 1st of April, I would advise you to buy im-mediately what nails and wire you want for the coming season, thereby saving money by not paying the advance prices later on. A word to the wise is sufficient. GEO. HUNTLEY.

Orphans' Court Sale
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, to me di-rected, I will expose to public sale at the prem-ises on

SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1895,

at one o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, viz:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Munster, in the county of Cambria and State of Pennsylvania, adjoining land of the heirs of James S. Durbin, deceased, Thomas Sergeant, John Latterner, heirs of Jacob Glass, deceased, Matthew Farabaugh, estate of Francis Eberly, deceased, Francis Bell, Samuel Noel, Philip Farren, and estate of Cornelius Dever deceased, containing

200 Acres,

more or less, and having thereon erected a large FRAME HOUSE, sixty feet in length by thirty feet in width, containing eleven rooms, a Bank Barn eighty feet in length by sixty feet in width, an Ice House, a Slaughter House, a Store House and Granary, and all necessary Outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale; the balance of one-third at the confirmation of sale; three-ninths in one year from the confirmation of sale, with interest; and two-ninths in two years from the confirmation of sale, with interest; the remain-ing one ninth of the purchase money to remain a lien during the lifetime of Eliza J. Durbin, wid-ow of James S. Durbin, deceased, the interest from the time of confirmation of the sale to be paid to her annually, and at her death said one-ninth of the purchase money to be paid to the the heirs and legal representatives of said James S. Durbin, deceased. Deferred payments to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of the purchaser.

JOANNA DURBIN,
Surviving executrix of the last will and testa-ment of Augustine Durbin, deceased.
Munster, Pa., March 22, 1895.

Orphans' Court Sale
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE!

BY authority of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, Pa., to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the premises in Chest Springs, Pa., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 6TH, 1895,

at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the fol-lowing described real estate, viz: All that cer-tain piece or parcel of land situate in the borough of Chest Springs, in the county of Cambria and state of Pennsylvania, bounded by Columbia street, lot of Perry McDonald and two alleys, containing two lots of ground, and having there-on erected a two-story

Frame Dwelling House,

and a STOREROOM, with outbuildings, all in good state of repair.

TERMS OF SALE:

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale; the balance of one-third at the confirmation of sale; one-third in one year from the confirmation of sale, and the balance in two years from the confirmation of sale. Deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by the bond and mortgage of the pur-chaser.

HELENA MELLON,
March 15, 1895.3t Trustee

INCORPORATION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Cambria, Pennsylvania, on the 25TH DAY OF MARCH, 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of Certain Corporations," approved April 29th 1874, and the supplements thereto, by Rev. Joel Hunt, John Ludwig, T. J. Davison, Felix Ludwig and Samuel Ludwig for the char-ter of an intended corporation to be called The First Methodist Episcopal Church of Ebensburg, Pennsylvania, the character and object of which is for the support of public worship according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the Act of Assembly aforesaid, and its supplements.

KITTELL & LITTLE,
Ebensburg, Pa., Feb. 22, 1895 3t. Solicitors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of William Tomlinson, deceased.
Letters of administration on the estate of Wil-liam Tomlinson, late of Allegheny township, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to me, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE SEYMOUR,
BRIDGET TOMLINSON,
Administrators of William Tomlinson, deceased.
Allegheny township, March 1, 1895 X

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Letters of administration upon the estate of Matthew McGaughey, late of Munster town-ship, county of Cambria, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Regis-ter, notice is hereby given to all persons indebt-ed to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same shall present them properly authenticated for settlement.

AUGUSTINE W. EBERLY,
Administrator of Matthew McGaughey, dec'd.
Munster Twp., March 22, 1895.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.
Letters of administration on the estate of Margaret Lameraux, late of Blacklick town-ship, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenti-cated for settlement

SAMANTHA HITE,
Blacklick Twp., Feb. 8 1895. Administratrix.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following ac-count has been filed in the Court of Com-mon Pleas of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, and will be confirmed by the said Court on the 25th day of March, 1895, unless cause be shown to the contrary:

First and final account of C. Girard, assignee of Reynolds & Bowen.

J. C. DARBY,
Prothonotary
Prothonotary's Office, March 1, 1895.

NOTICE—My wife Franie having left my bed and board without sufficient cause or provo-cation, I hereby notify the public that I will not be accountable for any debt she may contract, neither will I be accountable for any debt made or contracted by my children or any of them. See article of separation recorded.

JOHN FEICHT.
Spangler, March 1, 1895 3t.

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The undersigned desires to inform the pub-lic that he has opened a shaving parlor on Main street, near the post office where barbering in all its branches will be carried on in the future. Everything neat and clean.
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A SHIP FIRED UPON.

Spanish Cruiser Attacks Another American Vessel.

DISMANTLED AND SET ADRIFT.

This Outrage Occurred Off the Florida Coast—Sinking of the American Schooner Off the Cuban Coast Also Confirmed. Cuban Rebels Gaining Strength.

TAMPA, Fla., March 20.—The steamer Mascotte has arrived direct from Havana and brought late reports from the seat of revolution. Copies of La Lucha confirm the report of the sinking of the schooner by the Spanish gunboat off Puerto Padre near Gibara. In the same issue there are reports of the departure of General D. Jorge Garrich and Colonel Santo Cildeo with their commands from Jignam and their attack on the insurgents at Los Negros, at which place a battle was fought. This confirms previous reports.

A letter received from Sandiago stated that 30 leading young men of that place had gone into the field under the command of a prominent lawyer named Jomaya. Other letters assert that in Los Villas the insurgents are rapidly gaining both strength and confidence. Organized bands are beginning to arise in different sections of this district, and especially near Santo Spirito. This part of the uprising will cause Spain much chagrin, for it is her desire to keep the outside world ignorant of the progress of the revolution, but Los Villas is in the central portion of the island, and the chances now are that news will be more definite now that the trouble is so much nearer Havana.

For two days uncertain and untraceable reports have reached here regarding an American schooner being fired upon and dismantled by the Infanta Isabella near Charlotte harbor, after which the schooner drifted ashore, where she now lies aground south of the above harbor. It is generally understood that the authorities at Washington have been notified of it. The Irene is a coasting schooner of 60 tons, commanded by Captain Carballo, and generally carried a crew of eight. The incident must have occurred on Saturday, and has created much comment here.

SAILING FOR LIBERIA

The Horsa and Her Load of Negroes at Sea.

SAVANNAH, March 20.—The Danish steamship Horsa is now well out on the Atlantic, on her way to Liberia with her cargo of 197 negroes ranging from the infant in arms to the old men on the verge of the grave. The trip down the Savannah river was made with songs of gladness from the decks of the steamer and cheers from crowds of negroes on many of the wharves. The emigrants did not cease singing their hymn about going back to their fatherland until the city had disappeared from sight, and the entire party remained on deck, which was crowded with their baggage, until the tug left them.

The emigrants carry extensive supplies including agricultural implements and stores of seed, and have considerable money. It is believed to be the best equipped party that has ever sailed for Africa. They will endeavor to get about 5,000 acres of land together and organize a town government of their own. There are three ministers and a doctor with them. The first building to be put up in the country will be a church. Treasurer Howard of the Migration society has left for Memphis to organize another party. It is his intention to send a shipload every month if possible. One party is forming in Savannah. This is expected to be an imitation of an extensive Liberia craze among negroes all over the south.

DIED WITHOUT A DOCTOR

Much Excitement Over a Faith Cure Case at Dayton.

DAYTON, O., March 20.—Lilah Thurston Meade, 10 years old, daughter of Colonel Harry F. Meade and granddaughter of the late Hon. George Houk who died in Washington while representing this district in congress, died Sunday morning without having been given medical attendance.

Mrs. George Houk and daughter, Mrs. Mead, are from the best families in Dayton, but of late years have drifted voluntarily into Christian science practice. The child, suffering from typhoid fever, was taken to a place kept by John R. Hatton and wife, who are at the head of the faith-cure circle here, and the child died from neglect. The city is filled with excitement over it. The coroner has forbidden burial of the child, and has had the body placed in a vault, and will hold an autopsy. Hatton and his wife are in jail, but no further arrests will be made, except by direction of the coroner.

For a New American Ship.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—Edward S. Cramp of the William Cramp & Sons' ship and engine building firm has signed a contract in New York with Boulton, Bliss & Dollett, owners of the Red line, for a new iron passenger steamship for their direct trade between New York and Maracabo, to be ready for service within six months. The contract calls for compliance with the clause in the naval reserve act which stipulates a speed of 12 knots an hour for four hours. This will place her in the fourth class under the postal regulations granting subsidies to foreign mail-carrying vessels built in this country.

Meade's Fleet Sets Sails

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Admiral Meade has cabled the navy department that he has sailed with his squadron from La Guayra Venezuela for San Domingo. This move is in accordance with his prearranged itinerary and if the plan is not interrupted by unexpected events the next points visited will be Fort au France and then Santiago de Cuba.

$5,000 For a Husband.

BUFFALO, March 20.—A verdict for $5,000 has been awarded Mrs. Huda in the supreme court against the American Glucose company, whose works were destroyed by fire April 12 1894. In this fire Mrs. Huda's husband was one of the 12 Polish laborers who perished. Three similar suits are on the calendar.

Mill Officials Fined.

FALL RIVER, March 20.—In the second district court, the Weetamoe mill officials have been convicted in the two cases of violation of the 58-hour law in employing two minors more than 58 hours in a week and fined $100 in one case and $65 in another. An appeal was taken.

Football Doubtful at Harvard.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 20.—The Harvard faculty has again taken a firm stand against intercollegiate football contests, and it looks doubtful if the crimson will be represented by an eleven on the gridiron next fall.

Fair's Latest Will.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—It now turns out that the reputed latest will of the late James O. Fair was left in the charge of Mrs. Nettie L. Cravens, a principal in the public schools, who was a great friend of Senator Fair.

Indicted Officials Suspended.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The board of police has suspended all those officials in the department who have been indicted by the extraordinary grand jury.

FIGHTING GREATER PITTSBURG.

A Delegation Appears Before a House Committee Legislative Matters.

HARRISBURG, March 20.—One hundred anti-annexationists battled before the house municipal corporation committee for their rights and their arguments were attentively listened to. One of the speakers made some startling charges against the bosses of Pittsburg. He said they sold franchises and pocketed the money. A more serious accusation was made, however, when he said one of the members of the recent Pittsburg bond commission was paid for making an affirmative report.

The Hicks bill to establish free public employment bureaus in cities under the direction of the chief of the bureau of industrial statistics, was killed on final passage in the house.

The bills to abolish days of grace on promissory notes drafts, etc., and providing that when such obligations mature on Sunday or legal holidays they shall be due the next business day thereafter; establishing a state live stock sanitary board, and to provide for the control and suppression of dangerous contagious or infectious diseases of domestic animals, passed finally.

The Clarency amendment to the banking bill to relieve building and loan associations from making semi-annual reports to the commissioner of banking, was taken up at this point on a special order and passed finally without opposition.

These bills passed finally: Providing for township boards of healthy; providing method for withdrawal of selections of territory that may be annexed to cities of second class; changing the rate of taxation on agricultural, farm and suburban land from one-half to one-fourth in cities of second class; providing for calisthenic exercises in schools supported by the state, authorizing churches owning burial grounds to sell portions of their land not used or converted by them for burial purposes; changing Labor day from the first Saturday in September to the first Monday; limiting the time for killing of elk or wild deer to October, conferring on municipalities rights of eminent domain for purpose of appropriating public property for use of the national guard; providing for publication of Pennsylvania archives.

Appropriating $6,500 for Governor Hastings' inauguration expenses; house bill increasing the working force of the house to repeal act to set off the farms of J. D. Amger, Robert Lewis and Abram Pastorious, deceased, situated in Oilcreek township, Crawford county, into the Breedtown school district, Cherry Tree township, Venango county, for school purposes; to compile laws governing charitable and reformatory institutions; diverting from state to proper counties bonus paid by corporations for charters.

Authorizing erection of workhouses in counties containing 70,000 inhabitants or more, introduced by Lawrence (Washington); to prohibit institutions receiving state aid from purchasing meat and fowls slaughtered in other states; providing for support for indigent insane by children defining offense of disorderly conduct by persons on highways and parks, increasing salaries of justices in counties having at least 500,000 inhabitants, to regulate plumbing and gasfitting in cities of second class.

The bills passing the senate finally were: A greater Pittsburg bill, allowing certain sections of territory to withdraw after annexation; making salary of the adjutant general $4,000, requiring official advertisements to be printed in German newspapers in certain of the second class; for the appointment of a commission, to serve without pay, to report to the next legislature the best method of utilizing convict labor so as not to interfere with legitimate industries; requiring gymnastic exercises in the schools of the state; the bill of the newspaper publishers changing the libel law and providing that a retraction may be published in mitigation of damages.

To repeal an act providing for the election of a township treasurer in Cherry Hill township, Indiana county, approved April 17, 1856.

Authorizing incorporated or unincorporated churches owning burying grounds to sell and convey such portions of their land not used or conveyed by them for burial purposes.

Changing Labor day from the first Saturday in September to the first Monday of that month.

Limiting the time for the killing of elk or wild deer to the month of October of each year.

Requiring the prothonotaries of the several counties to procure, prepare and keep a bond docket in which to enter the names of all makers, bail and sureties on official bond and recognizances.

Providing for the publication of the Pennsylvania archives.

Creating a commission to ascertain the best method of utilizing convict labor in Pennsylvania institutions so as not to interfere with legitimate industries.

To ascertain the cost and to compile the laws governing the benevolent charitable and reformatory institutions under the control of the state and making an appropriation.

To divert from the state the amount received from railway corporations as bonus on their charters to the county or counties through which these corporations may pass.

Authorizing the requisition by municipal and other corporations having the power of eminent domain, by purchase or by condemnation, of the whole or any lot or piece of ground, part of which may be necessary for corporate uses, also authorizes the sales of land thus acquired.

The governor sent to the senate the nomination of Thomas J. Edge of Chester, for secretary of agriculture, and Wilson C. Kress of Clinton for supreme court reporter, both of which appointments were confirmed.

Receiver For a Traction Company.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Horace J. Myers of the firm of A. M. Kidder & Co., has been appointed by the United States circuit court of Virginia as receiver of the Long Island Traction company. The appointment as explained in a circular mailed to the stockholders is in the nature of a friendly proceeding and to anticipate a movement for a receivership originating in a quarter hostile to the reorganization plan formulated at a meeting of stockholders held in Brooklyn several weeks ago.

Foreign Incidents Discussed.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—For the first time since the return of the president from his North Carolina trip, there was a cabinet meeting at the White House yesterday. All of the members of the cabinet were in attendance. The session lasted about three hours, the president having for the first time an opportunity to discuss with his assistants the several foreign incidents that had arisen in his absence and to frame a policy for their disposition.

Will Rest Until June.

TRENTON, March 20.—The Republican house and senate steering committees have decided in favor of adjourning on Friday until Wednesday, the 27th, on which day veto bills will be passed and a rest taken until June.

Seventy-Five Men on a Strike.

PROVIDENCE, March 20.—Seventy-five employes of the American Screw company have gone out on a strike because their wages were reduced on an average of 12 per cent.

Accused of Robbing the Mails.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Walter W. Robinson, superintendent of letter carriers at Yonkers, has been arrested on the charge of robbing the mails.

A Letter Carrier Arrested.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Charles D. Bond, a letter carrier in the Washington office, has been arrested, charged with robbing the mails.

THURSTON TO GO HOME.

Gresham Said to Have Asked His Recall.

HE CRITICIZED THE SECRETARY

In a Newspaper Interview—Many Stormy Interviews Between Them. The Spanish Minister's Recall to Be Demanded For a Similar Reason.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—It is reported here that Secretary Gresham has demanded the recall of Lorin A. Thurston, the Hawaiian minister to Washington on the ground that he is persona non grata. When Secretary Gresham's attention was called to this statement he positively refused to say one word in confirmation or denial, and other officials of the state department allege ignorance of the matter. It is known, however, that there has been much friction between the minister and the state department in the transaction of business dating back to Mr. Thurston's appointment as minister. Probably because he was aware of the state of feeling

MINISTER THURSTON.

towards himself, the minister has always been singularly guarded and discreet in his public utterances, as far as can now be recalled, so as not to subject himself to censure.

Every effort has been made officially to disguise the real state of affairs. The Hawaiian minister's name has been scrupulously included in all state functions in which the diplomatic corps plays a part, and on at least one occasion he has been tendered the honor of a special dinner by Secretary Gresham, but it is known that there have been stormy interviews between them.

Minister Thurston was seen and positively declined to discuss the report. He was at the legation office and was busily engaged in preparing a budget of official mail to Hawaii. He said the report was of such a character that he would maintain absolute silence. He did not want this taken as an intimation of affirmation or denial.

It is reported that the doors of the state department have been closed against the representative of the new republic, and he has been told that he must communicate in writing with Secretary Gresham, one of the Cleveland administration, as the latter declines to see him in person. The demand for Minister Thurston's recall was made Feb. 21. That day Secretary Gresham requested Minister Willis to formally communicate to the Hawaiian minister of foreign affairs the fact that Minister Thurston was persona non grata. The communication was sent by mail and has probably by now left the new republic and the news regarding its reception may now be on an American steamer on the way to San Francisco.

Gossips are also talking of a rumor that the Spanish minister's recall will be demanded. The Spanish diplomat's offense is alleged to be similar to Mr. Thurston's. He gave an interview to the papers a few days ago criticising Secretary Gresham. Naturally there is a commotion among the diplomats.

WILL BE SETLED AMICABLY.

The Dismissal of Foreign Ministers by Venezuela Explained.

BRUSSELS, March 20.—It has been learned here that the troubles which led to the dismissal from Venezuela of the French and Belgian ministers originated in the fact that the Venezuelan government, when the late revolution was over declared that it would follow the precedent established by the United States in refusing to pay claims for damages done by the defeated army.

The French, Belgian, German and Spanish ministers met at the Italian legation and planned a scheme for a court of foreign claims practically intending to take the matter out of the hands of the Venezuelans. The Italian minister, for this reason, refused to be a party to the scheme, which was not approved by the respective foreign governments. The matter would never have come to light had not the Italian foreign office printed the official correspondence in a green book, and when this reached the president of Venezuela he was so much annoyed that he dismissed the French and Belgian ministers. It will likely be settled amicably.

Work Progressing on the Indiana.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—Work is progressing steadily on the battleship Indiana, now in course of construction at Cramps' shipyard. As far as the contractors are concerned the Indiana will be completed and ready for her official trial trip early this summer, but under Secretary Herbert's ruling that all ships must be entirely completed and ready for sea before they are given the official trip, it is doubtful if she will be turned over to the government finally for many months, possibly years.

Three Killed In a Fight.

MERIDIAN, Miss., March 20.—A dispatch from Toomsuba, in the eastern part of this (Lauderdale) county, brings news of a triple killing at Kewanee, a small station on the Alabama and Great Southern railroad, in a quarrel between Pen and Allen Pringle, brothers, aged respectively 27 and 35 years, and James Britton, aged 30 years.

Johnson May Ride Professionally.

SYRACUSE, March 20.—Tom Eck is here in consultation with the E. C. Stearns company, the bicycle manufacturers, in relation to John S. Johnson becoming a professional. He says that Johnson will probably do so and ride in France next year. Johnson will arrive here from Toronto today, when a decision in the matter will be arrived at.

Minister Denby's Son Married.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 20.—Charles Denby, Jr., and Miss Martha Orr were married here last night. Mr. Denby is a son of United States Minister Denby and is United States secretary of legation at Pekin, China. Miss Orr is a society favorite of this city. The couple will go to Pekin at once to reside.

Lumber Dealers Fail.

NEW YORK, March 20.—George and Casper Hagemeyer, composing the firm of Hagemeyer & Sons, wholesale lumber dealers, have assigned to Harris F. Hutchinson, with preferences of $50,000 to Flint & Co., for money advanced on notes.

Mrs. Booth In Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—Mrs. Ballington Booth and Adjutant Edith Marshall of the Salvation Army have arrived from Pittsburg and were escorted by the army from the depot. Mrs. Booth and Miss Marshall are out on a five weeks' tour.

LI HUNG CHANG IN JAPAN.

A Belief That Peace Will Soon Be Negotiated.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Li Hung Chang's arrival in Japan is regarded in official circles as one of the most significant events of recent days. It is the first time in his life that the venerable statesman of China has set foot outside of Chinese soil. At his advanced age, he now journeys to China's traditional foe to offer enormous concessions as a means of securing peace.

So far have the arrangements advanced that Prince Li's mission is expected to be consummated within a few days, unless some unexpected hitch occurs. Count Ito, one of the two Japanese envoys, is a close personal friend of Li Hung Chang, the two having settled the Corean trouble in 1885. So great is the Japanese confidence in the integrity of Li and his ability to see that China carries out an agreement that his promises of a settlement will probably pave the way to a speedy cessation of the war.

The reports that Russia will intervene to stop the agreement are known to be misleading from positive information received here. These satisfy the authorities that there will be no word of protest from Russia. The same is believed to be true as to France, although not with the same certainty.

West Virginians Sentenced.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Messrs. J. O. Wheeler and Ira Greathouse, who came here from West Virginia to negotiate with the two greenegoods men—A. P. Hill and J. R. Hickman—have been sentenced to six months' imprisonment for carrying concealed weapons. Hickman also received six months for the same offense, but Hill was acquitted. Judge Miller severely rebuked the jury for its verdict and ordered Hill and Hickman to be committed for trial on a charge of conspiracy.

Don't Know What to Do With the Statue.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Grand Army is weighted down now with the Grant statue, which the library committee of the house and senate declined to accept for erection in Statuary hall because it was not a good likeness of the dead general. The G. A. R. has the statue on its hands now, and in its quandary has sent for Colonel Fred Grant and General Horace Porter (the latter was on Grant's staff) to examine and see whether the criticisms made on it are correct.

A Captain Arrested For Brutality.

BALTIMORE, March 20.—Captain Jefferson Mears of the oyster schooner General Hancock, has been arrested, charged with the brutal treatment of Edward Morrill, a member of his crew. The boy was stripped of his clothing when the wind was blowing a gale and the mercury was nearly down to zero, his wrists were crossed and tied firmly together and he was thus triced up to the rigging, he was then severely whipped.

Carlisle May Run For Senator.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—There are renewed rumors from Kentucky that Secretary Carlisle will enter the senatorial fight against Blackburn. The secretary declines to discuss the matter or to say when he will go to Kentucky. It is probable that he is wearied of the never-ending talk of his senatorial ambition and that is the reason for his silence. He has so positively denied any senatorial tendency that possibly he thinks it is unnecessary to dignify rumors further.

Sensational Developments Promised.

CHICAGO, March 20.—It is expected that the experts will have completed their examination of the books of the whisky trust for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1892, by the end of this week. Their report, it is asserted, will contain developments which will be made the foundation for suits against certain officers and directors of the trust to recover moneys which will aggregate $2,000,000 or more.

Americans Settling In Mexico.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The secretary of state has been advised by the diplomatic representative of the United at the City of Mexico, under date of March 6, 1895, that between 700 and 800 negro families have recently arrived from the United States at Hahualilo Durango, Mexico, as colonists, under a federal concession granted to W. H. Ellis, an American citizen.

A Big Glass Combine.

PITTSBURG, March 20.—An organization to be known as the National Window Glass Manufacturers' association, comprising all the leading window glass houses of the United States, was formed at the largest meeting of window glass manufacturers ever held in this country at the Monongahela House in this city yesterday.

Sunday Law to Be Enforced.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—The Sunday law is to be enforced to the very letter in St. Louis. Every clause in section 3532 of the revised statutes of the state of Missouri, which declare that no work not absolutely necessary shall be done on the Sabbath, is to be applied, warrants issued and prosecutions made. The liquordealers are back of it.

Movement on Formosa Not Expected.

LONDON, March 20.—The Times today publishes a dispatch from its correspondent at Shanghai stating that the rumor of a Japanese expedition to the Island of Formosa is not credited in Shanghai. The correspondent adds that forward movements in the north are more likely to follow a failure of the peace negotiations.

No Clue to a Double Murder.

JONESBORO, Ark., March 20.—John Gargus, a prosperous farmer living with his wife were murdered while in bed asleep near Buffalo Island. Their baby, who was in bed with them, was not molested. The heads of the aged couple were both crushed. There is no clue.

A Swordfish Chased Them.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—Thirteen members of the Philadelphia council are inspecting municipal affairs here. They have been touring the south and report no mishaps with their unlucky number beyond being chased by a 14 foot swordfish while on Senator Quay's naptha launch in Florida.

An Insurrection Suppressed.

BUENOS AYRES, March 20.—A dispatch from Quito says that the insurrection in Ecuador has been suppressed and that the leaders have been arrested.

A Royal Betrothal.

CHANTILLY, France, March 20.—The Duke of Oasta has been formally betrothed to Princes Helene of Orleans.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Marie Burroughs, the actress, has sued her husband Louis Massen, for divorce, charging neglect and infidelity.

Three negro men, suspected of barnburning in Dallas county, Ala., are thought to have been lynched by white men.

Fifty thousand cents were changed for currency at the Cincinnati sub-treasury.

Dr. Howard, one of the most prominent Episcopal clergymen in Tennessee, died at Tullahoma.

Holders of Union Pacific 4½ per cent bonds entered suit at New York for nearly $20,000,000 principal and interest.

President Cleveland, at Washington, awarded a number of gold medals to foreign sailors for heroic behavior toward Americans.

The government at Madrid will prosecute newspapers attacking the army by trial by courtmartial.

Baron Von Sternberg, chief of the world's anarchists, was sentenced at Liege, Belgium, in his absence, to imprisonment for life.

Emperor William at Berlin issued an order prohibiting smoking on the streets by the members of the Berlin garrison.

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To balance due at last settlement	$ 816 57	
To amount received from R. C. Parrish, W. M.	120 05	
To amount received from R. L. Thomas, W. S.	2 025 16	
To amount received from Festival, Exhibits, as per receipts on docket	76 20	
To amount received from County Treasurer, (same book)	456 00	
To amount of duplicate, 25 mills, borough	1,548 75	
To amount of duplicate, 2 mills, special	884 23	
To amount added to delinquent taxes	5 54	
		$5,632 48
To balance at settlement	$ 492 10	

Cr.

JOHN F. TIBBOTT, Collector and Treasurer

By orders paid	$4 016 00	
By bonds lifted	600 00	
By coupons lifted	244 00	
By accrued interest	9 00	
By exonerations	23 49	
By rebate to taxpayers	16 29	
By 4 per cent. commission for collection $1 639 56	32 79	
By 5 per cent. commission for collecting 1894 76	34 49	
By 2 per cent. commission for paying out $1 800 00	97 32	
Balance due borough	492 10	
		$5,632 48

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF BOROUGH EXPENSES:

Repairs	$ 633 00	
Street Commissioner	215 78	
Light	1 081 54	
Hauling	318 35	
Police	66 00	
Clerk's salary	50 00	
Solicitors	25 00	
Auditors	20 00	
Curbing and crossings	132 30	
Lumber and stone	113 29	
Printing	40 25	
Hardware	27 44	
Appropriations	80 00	
Fuel	6 66	
Postage and stationery	4 74	
Surveying	2 50	
Exonerations for 1891 and 1892	2 37	
Law book	5 00	
Rebate for overpaid tax	2 20	
Livery hire	2 00	
Administering oaths	75	
		$2,835 57

WATER WORKS.

Repairs	$ 212 84	
Fuel	284 40	
Hardware, pipe and castings	328 14	
Superintendent's salary	240 00	
Building stock	75 75	
Plumbing	77 88	
Rent	40 00	
Tax on loans	25 84	
Blacksmithing	23 40	
Hydrant at Patchin's stable	8 00	
Freight and drayage	5 58	
Rebate for overcharged water rent	5 00	
		$1 373 13

$192 70 of this amount was paid by water rents for the Electric Light Plant, which is not included in amount received from R. L. Thomas.

ASSETS

Balance in hands of John F. Tibbott, Treasurer	$ 492 10	
Balance in hands of R. L. Thomas, W. S.	69 91	
		$ 562 01

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bonds, series of 1885	$ 200 00	
Outstanding bonds, series of 1890	5,000 00	
On standing orders	6 16	
		$5 206 16

We, the undersigned Auditors of the borough of Ebensburg, do report that we have examined the accounts and vouchers of the receipts and expenditures of said borough for the year ending March 11th, 1895, and find them correct as above stated.

SCHUYLER C. DAVIS, A. J. WATERS, } Auditors.

Ebensburg, Pa., March 22, 1895.

STATEMENT OF SETTLEMENT WITH SUPERVISORS of Blacklick township, March 11, 1895.

In account with JOHN HINES.

	Dr.	Cr.
To duplicate	$812 40	
By work on roads		$473 54
By return taxes		22 27
By exonerations		1 55
265 days' services at $1 50		85 00
By timber furnished for bridges		22 00
Total		$605 36
To order on Commissioners	30 00	
		542 40

In account with JOHN DAVIS, Supervisor of Blacklick Twp.

	Dr.	Cr.
To duplicate	$530 31	
By work done on roads		$439 74
Paid John Buckenderler for work		4 20
By work on wear, etc., bought for township		13 00
By damages paid		40 00
Return taxes		7 46
Error		15 84
44 days' services		60 00
Exonerations		2 96
Lumber furnished		15 00
Paid on road machine		100 10
Total		$705 79
To order on commissioners	200 00	
		$730 31
Balance due J. Davis		$ 25 48

We, the undersigned Auditors of Blacklick township, have examined the above account and find it correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. E. ROWLAND, G. A. MICHAELS, JOHN NIPPS, } Auditors.

Attest: ELLSWORTH ROWLAND, Clerk. March 22, 1895.

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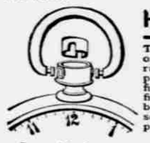

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